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FIVE KILLED IN AN EXPLOSION

At the Sinnamahoning Powder Works When the Gelatine Plant Blew Up.

ALL EMPLOYEES BLOWN TO ETERNITY

The Plant was Entirely New Having Been in Operation About One Year.

The Sinnamahoning Powder Company's plant, one of the most substantially erected powder plants in the country met with its first mishap early Tuesday morning, about eight o'clock, when the gelatine plant exploded, blowing to atoms five employees, namely:

THE DEAD.

J. D. Nelson, aged 32; foreman of gelatine plant, married about four months ago. Deceased came to Emporium about two years ago from Missouri and worked for the Emporium Powder Co., moving from here to Sinnamahoning. He was a practical man and very careful.

Edward Cole, aged 38, for several years a resident of Sinnamahoning, leaves a family of three children.

Harry Cole, aged 16, son of Albert Cole.

Samuel Shadman, aged 16, son of Harry Shadman, formerly residents of Emporium. Young Shadman had only been employed at the works a short time. His parents reside at Sinnamahoning, his father being employed at the works.

Fillmore Summerson, aged 45, formerly a resident of Clinton county, but for several years residents of Sinnamahoning. Leaves a wife and three grown up children.

Henry Callwell, who has been employed as mixer in the gelatine house, laid off for the day, thereby escaping death.

Great excitement prevailed at Sinnamahoning and it was difficult to get any particulars. Of course the cause of the explosion will never be explained, none escaping. Their lives were snuffed out in an instant.

This is the first gelatine plant to "go up" in the many years that powder has been manufactureed in the county Of all the explosives gelatine is the most powerful and dangerous to make.

President Henry Auchu and Hon. Josiah Howard were enroute for the works when they heard of the explosion.

It will require but a short time to rebuild the gelatine house.

"Alice-Sit-by-the-Fire."

The public's appreciation of high class dramatic offering has again been demonstrated by the remarkable success of Roselle Knott, the well known actress, who is touring the West in her new play, "Allce-Sit-by-the-Fire," by J. M. Barre, author of "Peter Pan" "The Little Minister," and numerous other successes, and which ran for one year at the Criterion Theatre, New York. The play is exceedingly interesting, and brims over with excellent comedy and at times becomes quite dramatic. The company associated with Miss Knott is one of exceptional excellence, including Mr. Eric Blind, Mr. Robinson Nebold, Miss Grace Gibbons, and others of New York reputation. The production is the same which marked its initial performance in New York, and will be given in its entirety at the Emporium Opera House on Saturday evening, June 22.

Dangerously Ill.

Mr. W. A. Miller, who resides with with his family next door to Dr. Smith, has been in a very precarious condition for several days. His children are all at his bedside. He rallied a little yesterday and his wonderful vitality may pull him through, his age, 73, is against him. Dr. Falk is attending him.

At Emporium Opera House.

Miss Roselle Knott will tour Australia and the Antipodes next season presenting her successes, "When Knighthood was in Flower," "Alice-Sit-by-the-Fire," "A Modern Magdalen," "Cousin Kate," and others. Miss Knott will be seen here at the Emporium Opera House, Saturday evening, June 22, in her new offering, "Alice-Set-by-the-Fire," which has won such favorable comment from press and public alike.

Base ball Saturday at park. Game called at 2 o'clock. Johnsonburg vs Emporium.

Very Sick.

We regret to report Mr. D. C. Hayes again quite ill with heart failure, at his residence of Fifth street. He is able to be up and around the house this morning.

Committed Suicide.

Christopher Schodenberger, aged 76 years, committed suicide at Coudersport, on Monday morning. He took the shot gun plan. Deceased was well to do farmer No reason assigned for the deed, except insanity.

Base Ball.

In the game with Ridgway on Saturday Emporium was defeated 7 to 1.

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Ridgway	5	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—7	13	5
Emporium	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—1	7	3

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The Emporium team was again defeated by the Ridgway club yesterday at the latter place, the score being 8 to 3. Time to get busy "Dock."

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There seems to be quite a struggle between the Emproium and St. Marys teams as to which will take first place, that is, if you begin to count at the bottom.

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Canoe Run, Cameron county, a little place near Cameron station, where there are some husky boys growing up, has a base ball team that thinks it will soon be able to take a whirl out of Emporium, or any of 'em.—Johnsonburg Breeze.

Our brother from the paper city seems to think that any old thing can beat Emporium. And really, it does seem that way.

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The Johnsonburg team plays here on Saturday. The game will be called at 2 o'clock p. m.

Draw a Map of Your Farm.

A farm paper makes the following good suggestion: "Try having your school boys and girls draw maps of your farms, and plan the fields, orchards, meadows, gardens, etc. It will be excellent practice for them, and unless you have tried it you have no idea what a convenience it will be to you in planning your crops and laying out your season's work."

Last Attraction This Season.

Miss Roselle Knott will be seen at the Emporium Opera House on Saturday evening, June 22, in "Alice Sit-by the-Fire," the latest comedy success of J. M. Barrie author of "The Little Minister," "Peter Pan," etc.

HEAD-ON COLLISON AT FIRST FORK.

Passenger engine 176, from DuBois crashed into freight engine No. 143, at the crossing about 50 rods below First Fork station, about 6:25 p m., on Friday, both trains being under motion but slowed down on account of a short curve. The following is a partial list of killed and wounded:

KILLED.

Ellis Walker, of Austin, brakeman on 176.

—— Miller, of DuBois, fireman on 143.

INJURED.

Wm. Ludwig, of Austin, engineer on 176, probably fatally injured.

Wm. Swain, conductor on 176, leg hurt and otherwise bruised up.

—— Nelson, fireman on 176, was buried under the wreck, pinned fast by the legs, one leg broken, and legs badly burned.

W. V. Harvey and wife, of Austin, were among the passengers, Mrs. Harvey being injured in the back, but Mr. Harvey escaping with slight, bruises.

Ed. Burlingame, of Austin, injured internally—probably seriously.

C. E. Logue, P. M., at First Fork head cut and arm and right shoulder injured.

Roadmaster Clark, of Galeton, was shaken up and bruised quite severely.

A stranger, who was going over the road to learn the route, expecting to run an engine on Saturday, had a hand badly smashed; did not learn his name.

Fireman Nelson was in the accident with Henry Page near Cross Fork Junction, the train that rolled down the mountain. There were several minor injuries, but did not learn the names of the parties, nor extent of injuries. Fireman Miller, has a wife but no children. Brakeman Walker was a single man, I believe. The wrecking crew arrived in the night and are busy at time of writing, clearing the track. Both trains were runnning according to their orders, so no blame rests on them for the accident. The dead and injured were taken to Austin as soon as possible. People living near by, were on hand almost instantly with horses and carriages to help take care of the wounded.

NUFF SED.

First Fork, Pa., June 17, 1907.

Mills-Spence.

A pleasant home wedding took place at 6:30 last evening at the residence of the bride's mother Mrs. Carrie Ness, Fifth street, the contracting parties being Mr. Ernest Mills of Austin and Miss Vera Spence. Mr. Harry Mills was best man, while Miss Etta Spence acted as bridesmaid. Rev. Cleaver, pastor of the First Methodist church tied the knot.

The following guests were present: Mr. D. Mills, (father of groom), Miss Bertha Mills, (sister of groom), Mr. and Mrs. L. Ritchie, Mr. Geo. Mills, Miss Jennie Mills, all of Austin. Mr. Harry Gibbons, Cross Fork; Mrs. P. Turner, Pittsburg; Miss Harriet Green, Miss Etta Spence, Buffalo; Mr. Jas. Framten, Chicago The PRESS and many friends congratulate the happy couple.

300th Anniversary of the Establishment of the Episcopal Church in America, at Jamestown, Virginia.

The establishment of the Episcopal Church in America, at Jamestown, Va., on the Third Sunday after Trinity in 1607, was appropriately observed at Emporium Episcopal Church, at this place last Sunday, with all Episcopal churches in the United States. Three hundred years ago, on the Third Sunday after Trinity, a handfull of worshippers assembled at the spot where Jamestown now stands to celebrate the holy communion in a church constructed between trees by stretching old sails on poles and laid the foundation of the Episcopal Church in the United States. The occasion was duly celebrated throughout the country. Emmanuel Church made a Thank Offering, last Sunday morning of $277.11.

Rev. Mr. Robertson, the Rector, delivered the following appropriate sermon:

Text: Psalm 80; 8–11.

If the services for the Third Sunday after Trinity were the same in 1607 that they are at present, those who took part in the Jamestown service, the anniversary of which we commemorate to-day, could hardly have failed to be impressed with their timely and prophetic significance. In the Epistle for the Day they would hear the words, "Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, that He may exalt you in due time; casting all you care upon Him, for He careth for you." Whether they were fully conscious of it or not, those early pioneers were missionaries, and some of them no doubt received inspiration from the parables of the Lost Sheep and the Lost Coin in the Gospel for the Day. In the First Lesson in the present lectionary we have the story of Joseph being taken into Egypt, where after many vicissitudes he finally realized the fulfilment of his dreams. In the Second Morning Lesson in the account of St. Peter's vision at Joppa and his subsequent visit to Cornelius we have the story of the first great expansion in the history of the Christian Church. In the eightieth Psalm, one of the Psalms used in our own service this morning, occurs a passage peculiarly applicable to the beginnings and development of American life and institutions. "Thou broughtest a vine * * * and plantedst it; Thou preparedst room before it, and it took deep root and filled the land * * * It sent out its branches unto the sea, and its shoots unto the River."

The Jamestown Ter-Centenary commemorates not only the planting of the first English colony in America, the first of the seedlings which in course of time were to grow into a great and united nation; but it marks as well the beginning on this continent of that English type of Christianity, which in its several forms has been so mighty and essential a factor in makiffg our nation what it is. Our whole history bears eloquent testimony to the truth that we are not an irreligious people, that we are not an un-Christian, or non-Christian, nation.

We must be aware, too, that the dominant form of Christianity in our American history has been what, in broad distinction to the Latin or Roman type, we may call the English type of Christianity, including both liturgical and non-liturgical classes, both Churchman and Puritan. In commemorating the first beginnings of EnglishChristianity in America, and in emphasizing the part played by English Christianity in our national life and history, we gladly recognize and appreciate the influence of Protestant Christianity outside our own communion. New England will never lose the imprint of its early Puritanism. Pennsylvania still retains characteristics which are an inheritance from the peace-loving, non-resisting Quaker, and from the German mystic and quietist. Western Pennsylvania will never lose the stamp of Scotch-Irish Presbyterianism. The Middle West will never forget, and should never forget, the memories of the early Methodist circuit-riders. It is therefore in no narrow or exclusive spirit that we would commemorate the beginnings ot religious life and worship at Jamestown. Christians of every name should feel an interest in the service which we commemorate to-day. While we as Churchmen naturally and pardonably feel a special interest in it, we have no more right to show our interest in any exclusive way than should a Congregationalist have a right to celebrate the landing of the Pilgrims in a narrow spirit, or than should a Quaker have a right to claim an exclusive interest in William Penn. With this understanding, it is my purpose to point out briefly something of the special influence which our own communion has exerted upon our national institutions.

William Penn described his plantation as a "holy experiment." The Quaker colony was certainly such in the intention of its founder. And from the point of view of Divine Providence we may see a profounder truth in the phrase, a truth that applies as well to all the colonies, and to the nation sprung from them. The religious interest of Jamestown and the other colonies must not be confined to the record of religious services and the history of religious organizations. A divine purpose is manifest in our entire history, and our religious interest should extend to this. Our nation is a nation with a divine mission; and in seeking to estimate the value of any special religious force or influence, we must ask in what way it contributes to the working out of the problem which it is our national mission to solve.

The supreme political problem as defined by John Fiske is to secure co-operation on a great scale among individuals and localities without sacrificing individual and local freedom. This may also be called the supreme social and spiritual problem, the solution of which is the ideal goal of Christ ianity. Christianity is distinguished no less by its revelation of the unique worth of the individuai than by its emphasis upon social solidarity. The gospel of Christ is the gospel of the kingdom of God. The purpose of Christianity is not merely to save men as separate individuals, but to unite God's children unto one great, harmonious solidaric brotherhood. "That they all may be one." The working out of this ideal of Christianity is intimately bound up with the working out of the political side of the same fundamental problem.

In ancient times the largest measure of individual freedom was realized in Greece, but it was at the cost of union and co-operation among the Grecian states. Greece fell for want of a strong central authority. Babylon, Persia and Rome solved the problem to the extent of bringing many peoples, nations and languages under the sway of one common authority, but this achievement was at the cost ef individual and local freedom. All these empires crumbled because of the decay of individual manhood and freedom. Europe, inheriting many of the ideas, methods and results of the ancient civilizations, took up the problem anew. Spain, France, and, to some extent, the Empire became strong centralized powers, but this development was secured through the sacrifice of individual and local freedom. Traditions of freedom and independence were kept alive during the medieval period in some of the Italian and German cities, but for want of union among themselves their experience only served to point the general view that a great and powerful democracy is a contradiction in terms. Only in England, and this largely owing to her insular position, was there a measurable realization of a nationality at once free and united. Only in England was there anything like a successful solution of the problem, how to combine the lessons of self-government and of united, concerted action on a scale something more than local.

But even in England the problem was worked out on too limited a

Continued on Fifth Page.

Legs Crushed.

Vincent Wood, of Keating Summit, met with an accident on B. & S. R. R., Tuesday, at Austin, both legs being crushed and died soon after. His remains will be brought to Emporium for burial. The young man was seriously injured here one time and narrowly escaped death.

Another Old Pioneer Dead.

Amos Lorshbaugh, died on Sunday, June 16th, at the ripe old age of 87 years. The funeral was held at two o'clock, Tuesday p. m., and burial made by the side of his wife who died a few years ago. He leaves three sons and three daughters. He had been sick a long time and the end was not unexpected. I believe he has a brother and sister living in the west, and a sister, Mrs. E. A. Peters, at Austin.

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Marriage Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Whitehead O'Connor, of Salt Lake City, Utah, announce the marriage of their daughter Beatrice of Mr. William M. McCrea, at St. Paul's Episcopal Church on June 12th. Mr. McCrea is cousin of Mrs. H. H. Muliin and the Misses Gould. He visited in Emporium many years before graduating from Ithaca law school, when he returned west and was elected district attorney of Salt Lake county.

Reconstructed Paving Brick Plant.

Mr. Wertz, of Calder, who is connected with the construction force of the Penn Vitrified Brick Company was a pleasant PRESS caller yesterday, renewing his subscription for another year. Mr. Wertz is very enthusiastic over the future prospects of the newly constructed brick plant, which will be ready for operation about July 1st. Forty men are now at work and Mr. Wertz expects to see from 75 ,o 100 men employed by fall. The "Calder" paving brick is very popular and orders are booked for months ahead. The capacity of the re-constructed plant is good for 75,000 per day. Mr. W. H. G. Walker, the manager, has put his whole energy into the business—that means big work and telling results. While the brick is right at our door, and prices climbing up, it seems to us that Emporium should contract for paving blocks to complete the paving of Fourth street. Two years hence, possibly next year, the price will make a heavy advance.

Wedding of Two Popular Young People.

Chief Signal Inspector Dorsey E. Spangler, of Sterling Run, and Miss Bibiana O'Sullivan, of Driftwood, were married Monday evening by Father Driscoll at his residence in Driftwood. The happy bride is ode of Driftwood's most popular young ladies and was one of the best school teachers in the county. The bridegroom has a long and creditoble record with the Pennsy R. R., and is in charge of the electric lock and block system between Huntley and Cameron. Although the happy pair's many friends were looking for the important event in the near future. they were surprised as well as pleased to hear of it, but will have to etore their collections of rice and slippers for another occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Spangler took the Buffala flyer for Philadelphia and Washington where they will spend their honeymoon. Their many friends extend hearty congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy life.

J. F. S.

The Social Swim.

HOUSE AND LAWN FETE.

Miss Mary E. Logan, entertained a party of friends last Friday afternoon, in honor of her guests, Mrs. Iva Carter, *nee* Cole and Miss Ora Cole, of Keokuk, Iowa. The pleasant entertainment was hugely enjoyed by the guests.

Elaborate and dainty refreshments were served at six o'clock by Mrs. Jasper Harris, Mrs. Jay Paul Felt, Mrs. Chas. T. Logan and Miss Nina Bryan.

The following additional ladies were present: Mesdames G. S. Allen, T. F. Moore, Laura Bryan, Lizzie Hinkle, F. G. Judd, Josiah Howard, W. H. Howard, G. F. Balcom, T. H. Norris, L. R. Felt, C. T. Hockley, Iva Carter, Geo. Metzger, Jr, R. J. Rogers, R. K. Mickey, W. G. Bair, Misses Jettie Wiley, Iva Leet, Alice Montgomery, Ora Cole, Maud Thomas, Nellie Lingle, Flossie Taggart and May Gould.

Home Again.

Geo. F. Eckstine and family, and John Hout and family returned to Emporium yesterday, from Westboro, Wis., to reside permanently. Glad to see them back home again. Old Emporium is the best yet. Mr. Eckstine called to pay his respects to the PRSSS this morning.

Emporium nine played a game with Port Allegany on Monday and another defeat was registered against the former. The score was 7 to 5. The game was played at Port Allegany.

THE WEATHER.
FRIDAY, Showers.
SATURDAY, Showers.
SUNDAY, Fair.

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SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 22
ERNEST SHIPMAN
Presents
Roselle Knott
And associate players in the Famous Criterion Theatre (New York) Success
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Miss Gould's Musical.

Miss May Gould's piano-forte pupils gave one of their pleasing Musicals, at Miss Gould's residence, corner Sixth and Maple streets, last Thursday evening. In addition to her pupils a few friends were invited. Miss Walker and Mr. Edwin Baldwin, Mrs. Fred Seger, Reader, musically accompanied by Miss Ida Seger, assisted during the evening. The following program was rendered:

PROGRAM.

March Triomphale, Trio.................*Gobbaerts*
Agnes Cleary, Helen Friendel, Jessie Clark.
Summer Idyl,.......Eunice Diehl.......*Rothleder*
The Mill, Op. 17........Jessie Clark.......*Jensen*
Chase of the Butterflies.............*Chas. Dennee*
Ethel Creighton
Sonata, Op. 49, No. 2....................*Beethoven*
Ruth Pearsoll
The Sailor Boy's Dream................*Le Hache*
William Howard.
Good Bye........Helen Freindel........*Eggeling*
Frolics, Op. 12......Agnes Cleary......*Von Wilm*
Echos of the Ball....Margaret Cavey.......*Gillet*
Sous La Feuillee, Op. 29...................*Thome*
Margaret Metzger
Beaming Stars, (Trio)......................*Dressler*
Dora Nelson, Margaret Dodson, Katie Kraft.
Octave Piece........Annie Edwards.......*Czerny*
Valse Elegante....Carolyn Cox.......*Schoenefeld*
Andante from the Concerto in G Minor
Frank Housler...................*Mendelssohn*
Consolation........Harold Seger....*Mendelssohn*
Tarrantelle......Herbert Vogt...............*Heller*
The Whistling Regiment, (Reading)
Mrs. Fred Seger.......*James Clarence Harvey*
Musical Accompaniment—Miss Ida Seger.
Serenade........Margaret Dodson.........*Smith*
Song without Words....Gordon.Vogt......*Holzel*
Rustle of Spring.... Belle Husted.......*Sinding*
Das Erste Medallion, two pianos, 8 hands, *Morena*
Carolyn Cox, Enna Clark, Flavia Lathrop, Rena Jordan.
Impromptu........Katie Kraft..........*Reinhold*
Valse............Rena Jordan............*Durand*
Pas des Amphores....Dora Nelson....*Chaminade*
Witches Dance..Kate Metzger..*E. A. MacDowell*
Polka..............Belle Husted............*Kjerulf*
An Den Fruhling, Op. 43, No. 6............*Grieg*
Edna Auchu.
Semiramis (Overture).......................*Rossini*
Belle Hasted, Kate Metzger.
Bolero..........Edwin Baldwin.......*Carl Bohm*

National Protective Legion Pic-Nic

The Central Penn'a Pic-nic Ass'n of the N. P. L., comprising about 40 Legions of this district, will hold the third annual pic-nic of the society at Nippono Park, Jersey Shore, Saturday, June 29th, 1907. All the Legions in the district will take part in the pic-nic. This will be a basket pic-nic and everybody is invited

The Antrim Legion Band, thirty in number, and all members of the order will furnish first class music. National president Geo. A. Scott and other National officers will be in attendance and address the audience. $10,000 will be paid Jersey Shore members in dividends. All trains stop at Nippono Park that day.

You can get all kinds of good cedar shingles at C. B Howard & Co.

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No paper will be discontinued until arrearages are paid, except at the option of the publisher.

Papers sent out of the county must be paid for in advance.

Took Six Years to Make.

Six years, 540 yards of duchess silk lace, 400 yards of silk thread, and an infinite amount of patience were consumed by Miss Amelia M. Redel, of Marshalltown, Ia., in making a black lace dress. Miss Redel conceived the idea of a hand-made lace dress six years ago, and immediately set to work to carry out that idea. She has just finished her task. The waist and skirt each are in one piece. The design was worked out over a foundation of cambric.

From Society News of the Future.

"At midnight, amid the customary shower of rice and old shoes, the bride and groom left by special express elevator for the roof, where they went immediately aboard the Mars-American liner Windjammer, which flew at nine o'clock this morning. On their return from an extended tour of the planets, the young couple will reside on the forty-second floor."—Puck.

Science's Tobacco Discoveries.

Is tobacco in the form of cigars and cigarettes an effective germ killer? Smallpox was prevalent in Canton, China, during the recent visit of the duke and duchess of Connaught and the Princess Patricia, and the visitors say they were compelled to smoke cigarettes incessantly as a preventive of the disease. The duke never ventured out without a cigar.

Dangerous.

Cleaning compounds are always dangerous. Never use benzine, gasoline or other like fluids in any room in which there is a light or fire. These oils are extremely volatile and their fumes catch fire at a great distance, the flames traveling back to the source. Explosion and scattered fire are the results.

Big Seller.

"She is very wealthy?"

"Very."

"Money left to her?"

"No; she is the author of a book entitled 'Hints to Beautiful Women.'"

"I presume all the beautiful women in the country purchased it?"

"No; but the homely women did."—Houston Post.

Gold Production.

The production of gold in the United States during 1906 is estimated by the director of the mint at $96,101,000, which is an increase of $8,000,000 over that of 1905. The production of silver is estimated at 56,183,000 ounces, an increase of 82,000 ounces over that of the previous year.

A Useful Explanation.

"The climate is very cold in St. Petersburg, is it not?"

"Yes," answered the traveler, "and fortunately so. The circumstance enables an official to argue that he is shivering because he is chilly instead of because he is nervous."—Washington Star.

Didn't Always Refuse.

"I've tried to discourage Mr. Nervie from calling on you," snapped the stern parent, "but the young scamp refuses to be sat upon."

"Why, father, you do him an injustice," indignantly replied the dear girl.—Kansas City Times.

Not Dying Out.

The opinion that the natives of Australia are dying out is not shared by J. W. Gregory, who writes in the Globus that the present population is estimated at 153,000, which is 3,000 more than the estimated number two centuries ago.

The Unpardonable Sin.

"I can't understand why that young lady boarder is so unpopular. She's a perfect Venus."

"Yes, but she consumes too much time at her Sunday morning bath."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The Only Way.

"They say you're making plenty of money in the stock market."

"Yes. I never lose anything."

"Ah! You get straight tips, eh?"

"No; I sell 'em."—Philadelphia Press.

Meerschaum Pipe Material.

Scarcity of raw material is causing serious difficulties in the meerschaum pipe and cigar-holder industry in Germany and Austria. Asia Minor is one of the chief sources of supply.

BIGGEST QUESTION

IS THAT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WAGE EARNING.

A Political Party Takes Upon Itself Grave Responsibility When It Encourages Foreign Competition.

The question of employment and wages is the chief issue involved in the new departure of the administration in the matter of granting special tariff concessions to foreign countries which raise their tariff rates against American exports as a club wherewith to compel a reduction of the American tariff. It is the one big question, bigger than all other questions combined. It is a question so big as to seriously menace any political party that makes a mistake in the treatment of it. That party will go down to swift defeat which perpetrates the colossal blunder of injuring our domestic trade relations in attempting to enlarge our foreign trade relations.

Ninety-five per cent. of our manufacturing trade is in our own country and between the people of our own country. Eighty-five millions of people —16,000,000 voters among them—are vitally concerned in this 95 per cent. of trade.

Taking liberties with the 95 per cent. of domestic trade and trying experiments for the benefit of the beggarly five per cent. of foreign trade have so often proved disastrous to the political party concerned in them that "what not to do" would seem perfectly obvious by this time.

Long before election day in 1908 comes round the practical effects of the new policy of surrender to foreign tariff threats will have become visible. Either the new policy will greatly increase the inflow of competitive commodities, or it will not. If it does not, we shall have simply handed the foreigners some gold bricks. That, however, is not of overwhelming consequence. They hand us gold bricks when they first mark up their tariffs against us and then consent to mark them down again to where they were before in return for net tariff reductions on our part.

But, if the new policy of tariff surrender shall work out as the foreigners expect it to work; if largely increased importations of competitive goods come into our market and displace equivalent quantities of domestic labor products, thereby diminishing place equivalent quantities of domestic total of employment and the domestic wage, what then?

The answer to this question is suggested in a letter addressed to the president of the United States by a prominent American manufacturer and a large employer of American labor. Under date of May 6, 1907, Mr. Richard Campion, of Philadelphia, wrote President Roosevelt, urging that the proposed commercial agreement between the United States and the German empire be not consummated. In this letter Mr. Campion brings to view that biggest of all questions, American employment and wages, as follows:

> With the present high cost of production in this country, caused chiefly by the high rates of wages now prevailing —which high wages, it can be safely said, all manufacturers are glad to have prevail—it is difficult for our manufacturers to compete with imported goods, even with all the existing safeguards against undervaluation, but if these safeguards be removed in accordance with the proposed agreement our markets will be flooded with German goods at prices which our manufacturers cannot meet, our markets taken from us, our factories closed and our workmen thrown out of employment, unless our rates of wages be reduced to cover the difference; and surely, Mr. President, it is only fair to presume that you are no more willing to have reduced the wages of American workmen than are we manufacturers.

Herein is the whole question, distinctly and powerfully presented.

Will the new policy of tariff surrender, when it shall have been extended to all the producing nations of Europe, as in time it must be if extended to any one of those nations, close American mills and factories, throw American workmen out of employment, and reduce American wage rates?

It is a serious question, much the most serious question which the present administration has ever had to deal with.

Where the Danger Lies.

The danger lies in making a hodge podge of special tariff concessions, one for each country. If tariff concessions, either through lower valuations by the United States appraisers or by a lower tariff, are to be made at all, they should be granted to every country which grants the United States the "most favored nation" clause, and against every country that seeks to discriminate against the United States this country is abundantly able to protect itself. Our exports are largely of foodstuffs, and these are necessities which other nations need. If they want them let them make such tariff rates as will admit them. If they don't there's no need of ill feeling over the matter. Foodstuffs are staples, and their market is wide.—Zanesville Courier.

If She Had Her Choice.

Both senators and every representative Massachusetts has in congress know that congress is not going to enact free raw material for Massachusetts workshops. Roger Q. Mills promised Massachusetts that in 1890, and that very year Massachusetts sent more Democrats than Republicans to the fifty-second congress. If Massachusetts had her choice it is quite likely that she would substitute the Wilson tariff for the Dingley. Certainly she would do so with free coal and free iron ore added.—Washington Post.

EVERY FARMER PROTECTED.

Should Dread Competition of Foreign Labor Prdoucts.

The editor of an Indian territory paper cannot see how the tariff protects the farmer. He is very probably honest in his position, though he is putting charity to somewhat of a strain when he declares "that a farmer can be a Republican is one of the curiosities of the political situation."

That a farmer who votes in accordance with his own so-called class interests can be anything but a Republican would be still more curious. There are lots of farmers who are Democrats, and sincerely so, but we venture the assertion that their political creed is not based upon a careful study of their own interests. They are Democrats for other reasons.

It is argued that "the prices of nearly all the necessities he buys are protected at the average rate of 60 per cent., while the prices of the commodities he produces are made in competition with the world."

Those who argue that way are not fools. But in our opinion they are most egregiously mistaken. If the farmers who are directly protected by the tariff against Mexican cattle, or those who are directly protected against Canadian wheat, should suddenly find the bars let down, those farmers at least would soon see where they are protected. But this is only a very small degree of the protection which the farmer receives.

The greatest degree of protection is that which he receives indirectly. The tariff provides him with a market for his products at home by putting wages into the pockets of workingmen and by enabling the vast and varied commercial enterprises of the country to flourish. It is superficial to say that Liverpool fixes the price of the American farmer's wheat and corn. It must not be forgotten that the farmer more than any other producer is the victim of the speculative market, with which the tariff has nothing whatever to do. But aside from this disturbing and extraneous influence, which is itself intimately affected by fluctuating crops, the price which the farmer receives for his product is determined entirely by supply and demand. The supply may be limited by poor crops and the demand may be increased by prosperous times. Conversely the supply may be abundant and the demand small in times of commercial depression.

As a producer of hard times nothing has ever been so successfully tried in this country as a substantial reduction in the tariff. When the factories are idle and commercial industries languish, the farmer finds his most profitable and extensive market cut off. The severest blow which the agricultural interests could sustain would be the enactment of legislation at all approaching free trade.

In protecting industries which furnish buyers for what the farmer raises protection protects every farmer in the land. The farmer's real competitor is not the grower of wheat in Canada or Siberia or Argentina, it is not the raiser of cattle and hogs in Mexico or South America. It is the manufacturers across the sea, whose products are excluded by tariffs that keep American factories running and furnish American workingmen and allied consumers with the means of buying what the farmer has to sell.—Kansas City Journal.

The One Thing Certain.

If we can be browbeaten by Germany, which is conceded, and, probably, will be similarly treated by France, what is to prevent six or seven other Europen countries from following this clever lead of their German and French neighbors? And what becomes of our "sacred schedules" if their elasticity can be stretched so?—Wall Street Journal.

The answer is obvious. The schedules are knocked out, of course. When the foreign exporter is permitted to consign goods to his American clerk at "export value," the American producer can never be certain what his tariff protection is going to be, or whether he has any tariff protection at all. The only certain thing is that the domestic wage payer and wage earner is going to get the worst of it.

The One Important Fact.

The fact of more importance than all others in connection with tariff discussions and industrial subjects, so far as this country is concerned, is that 95 per cent. of all the goods made in American mills and factories and produced on American farms is sold direct to home consumers. It is this splendid home market which deserves first and most consideration in all discussions in any way related to it. Only five per cent. of the products of our country is sold to consumers elsewhere. Full realization of this fact will prevent repetition of some absurd statements which have been made and some even more absurd movements which have in recent years been attempted.—Houghton (Mich.) Gazette.

Congress Not Consulted.

So far as it goes, it is full-fledged reciprocity. Germany admits agricultural products and certain chemicals and machinery at less than her maximum rates; in return the president dares to raise his reckless hand against the thrice-sacred Dingley schedules and let in at cut rates certain products of the "pauper labor" of "effete" Germany.—N. Y. Evening World.

It is a fuller-fledged reciprocity than any which has ever been submitted to congress for its approval, for it proposes to admit at cut prices not certain products, but all products of low-priced German labor. No wonder congress was not consulted. Congress would have turned it down incontinently.

FOR A BIG RANSOM.

HARRY ORCHARD PLANNED TO STEAL AND HOLD THE CHILD OF HIS FRIEND.

Star Witness for Prosecution in Haywood's Trial Tells of a Series of Crimes.

Boise, Idaho. — The defense on Wednesday carried the cross-examination of Harry Orchard down to the actual crime charged against Haywood, the murder of Frank Steunenberg. The Steunenberg crime was reached at midday, and counsel for the defense directed their efforts to an attempt to cloud the earlier purposes and movements of Orchard with uncertainty. Then they emphasized the abandonment of all efforts to kill after Orchard first tracked Steunenberg to a hotel in Boise and with a skeleton key gained entrance to the room in which the governor was living.

Here they delayed for a moment to prove that Orchard twice wrote and once telephoned to Bill Easterly at Silver City to urge him to come and join in the crime, and the direct implication was that Orchard was endeavoring to inveigle another federation man into the crime, which would bring dishonor to the organization.

Then the witness was carried on his long journey into north Idaho and his crimes there, including a plot to kidnap and hold for ransom August Paulson's child were emphasized. Orchard swore that David Coates, formerly lieutenant governor of Colorado and late a publisher in Wallace, Idaho, first suggested the kidnapping to Pettibone and himself at Denver. Paulson, once a poor miner, had made a fortune in the Hercules mine, in which Orchard held an interest when the property was not paying; and it was believed that if his children were stolen he would "come up" with $50,000 or $60,000 in ransom. Orchard said when he went to north Idaho he got Jack Simpkins to enter the plot and together they went to Coates to renew the scheme.

Coates was asked to stand up and Orchard said he was the man. Orchard was then asked whether he had not himself proposed the crime to Coates, who rebuffed him, and whether Jack Simpkins had not warned Paulson the minute he heard of the plot. Orchard denied both suggestions and insisted that Coates was to stay in the plot and handle the money they hoped to get from Paulson. Then the defense showed the witness in the commission of a series of mean crimes and reduced to poverty, in which he had to resort to pawning, borrowing and stealing to live, for a long period.

First he pawned jewelry and guns for $25 or $30. Then he accepted the hospitality of Paulson's home while he was plotting to steal Paulson's child. After that, with Jack Simpkins, he broke into the Oregon Railway and Navigation Co.'s station. They were after a trunkful of jewelry samples, but instead got a trunkful of shoe samples. Next he tapped a cash register at Burke for $30 or $40.

THE WAR IN SALVADOR.

Government Troops Defeated Rebels, Who Looted Two Towns While They Were Retreating.

Mexico City.—According to a cablegram received on Wednesday the Salvadoran army has defeated the invading force which captured Acajutla on Tuesday and has driven it back to the coast. One of the leaders of the invading army was John Moisant, a former resident of San Francisco, an American citizen. He is reported to have been captured by the forces of President Figueroa.

It is reported on good authority that troops are ready to invade Salvador from three sides. According to this information Gens. Toledo and Alfara are on the Honduran border ready to strike and Gen. Corea will enter the country by way of Amapala.

Managua, Nicaragua.—The government was questioned on Wednesday concerning the report that Nicaragua had declared war upon Guatemala. The report was denied. Nicaragua has not declared war upon any state.

San Salvador.—A force of Nicaraguan filibusters landed at Acajutla and made their way to the town of Sonsonata, where they plundered the custom house and stole $20,000 from the local agency of the Bank of Salvador. Salvadoran troops then appeared upon the scene and defeated the invaders, who fled precipitately back to Acajutla, where they reembarked upon some vessels flying the Nicaraguan flag and made their way out of the harbor.

Got a Verdict for $101,000 Damages.

New York. — One of the largest verdicts for damages ever given in the supreme court in this judicial district was awarded by a jury Wednesday when Sarah Read was awarded $101,789 for the loss of her husband, who was killed by a New York Central railroad train at the Van Cortlandt Park crossing three years ago yesterday. Mr. Read, who was a paper bag manufacturer, was riding in an automobile with George Noakes, Mrs. Noakes and Noakes' son and daughter. The automobile was struck by a train. Read was killed and Miss Noakes and the chauffeur each lost a leg. The chauffeur received a verdict of $10,000 and Miss Noakes of $35,000.

Elks Form Tri-State Association.

East Liverpool, O.—The Tri-State Elks' association was formed here Wednesday, lodges from 24 cities in Ohio, western Pennsylvania and West Virginia being represented. H. W. Smith, of this city, was elected president and L. P. Metzgar, of Salem, O., secretary-treasurer.

Powder Mill Blew Up.

Fort Smith, Ark. — The corning mill of the Equitable powder plant was demolished by an explosion Wednesday. William Coleman, a workman, was killed. Loss $50,000.

THE ERROR OF INTERRUPTION.

"Gracious, Smith, but you have a fierce cold. How did you catch it?"

"Hang me if I know how. I've taken off—"

"You idiot! And you don't know how you caught it! Why, a child could tell you. I am surprised that a man of your intelligence, or supposed intelligence—"

"I don't see any occasion for such an outburst as that. You act as though I had committed a crime. I was simply going to say I've taken off—"

"And you don't know how you caught the cold! Why, it's a wonder you're not in the hospital with pneumonia! I didn't suppose a man like you would do that. You read the papers, don't you? Every day you see interviews with doctors—"

"Excuse me, old man. I try to be patient with everybody, but you are taxing my temper to the limit. I start to tell you I've taken off—"

"Yes, and you ought to be ashamed to confess it. Don't you see interviews with our best doctors, urging people not to take off their flannels until—"

"Who said anything about taking off his flannels?"

"Why, you did. You said you'd taken 'em off—"

"I didn't say anything of the kind. But I did try to say that I didn't know how I had caught this cold because I have taken awful good care of myself all this spring."—Chicago Journal.

Not Pride, But Caution.

Sweet Girl—Mother, Mr. Nicefellow is coming to take me out riding this afternoon. I may go, mayn't I?

Mother—If he drives up with a span of spirited horses, you can go; but if he comes with that broken-down old nag he had last time, you sha'n't.

"Why, mother, I didn't suppose you would ever have such a foolish pride."

"My dear, a young man who comes with a pair of spirited horses expects to drive with both hands."—N. Y. Weekly.

Fool Editors.

Mrs. Grubber—Well, well! What fools these editors be!

Mr. Grubber—Eh?

Mrs. Grubber—Here I writ a letter to the editor of the Punkinville Trumpet. askin' what would be a proper an' inexpensive thing to git fer a weddin' present; an' here in the paper he's printed a list of about a hundred things what folks give as weddin' prsents, an' there ain't one of 'em costs lass than a dollar.—N. Y. Weekly.

Side Lights on History.

Gen. Sherman was on his memorable march to the sea.

"Everything seems to be going smoothly thus far," he said, "but something seems to tell me that the end will be disastrous!"

Years afterward, when he found he couldn't go anywhere without hearing the brass bands playing "Marching Through Georgia," he realized that his forebodings had been only too well founded.

Far From It.

"Dora, dearest, I love—"

"O! O!"

"Do you interrupt me, Dora, because you don't want to hear it?"

"That wasn't intended as an interruption, George. Go ahead."—Chicago Tribune.

NOT JUST WHAT HE MEANT.

Owner—Are you lads aware that no one is allowed to fish here?

Boy—Why we saw yer fishin' 'ere yerself t'other day!

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HOME TRADE NOTES

LITTLE GLEAMINGS THAT POINT MANY MORALS FOR ALL.

A NEW TEN COMMANDMENTS

Carefully Revised by the Catalogue Houses—Mail-Order Houses and Pure Foods—The Local Dealer.

The ten commandments as revised to fit the mail order catalogue house plan:

First—You shall sell your farm products for cash whenever you can, but not to us; we do not buy from you.

Second—You shall believe our statements and buy all you need from us because we want to be good to you, although we are not personally acquainted with you.

Third—You shall send the money in advance to give us the chance to get the goods from the factory with your money; meanwhile you will have to wait patiently a few weeks because that is our business method.

Fourth—You shall apply to your nearest city to aid you in building good roads so you may conveniently get the goods from the depot which you buy from us, for we do not build country roads.

Fifth—You shall buy church bells and interior fixtures from us and forward the money in advance, for that is our business method, and you shall collect from the business men in your vicinity as much money as you can for the benefit of your churches. Although we get more money from you than they do, still it is against our rules to donate money for building country churches.

Sixth—You shall buy your tools from us and be your own mechanic, in order to drive the mechanics from your vicinity, for we wish it so.

Seventh—You shall induce your neighbor to buy everything from us, as we have room for more money—the less money there is left in your community the sooner we can put your local merchants out of business and charge you any price we please.

Eighth—You shall look often upon the beautiful pictures in our catalogue, so your wishes will increase, although you are not in immediate need of the goods, otherwise you might have some money left to buy necessary goods of your local merchants.

Ninth—You shall have the mechanics who repair the goods you buy from us book the bill so you can send the money for his labor to us for new goods, otherwise he will not notice our influence.

Tenth—You shall, in case of accident, sickness or need, apply to your local dealers for aid and credit, as we do not know you.

The secret of how it has been that some of the eastern mail order houses which have done business in Montana and elsewhere were able to undersell local merchants on some lines of groceries has been revealed. The revelation has come about through the operation of the national pure food law.

One of the big mail order concerns, which has done a great business in Montana, makes the announcement that it has closed its grocery department, giving in a circular its reason for doing so "because its maintenance has been made impracticable by the pure food laws just passed by congress."

If that is not an acknowledgment that the consumers have been furnished with adulterated food stuffs when they ordered groceries, then the English language is not understandable. By selling the stuff that has been put under the ban because of its impurity, the mail order concerns have been able to undersell the local merchants living hundreds of miles away from the great centers of supply.

In carrying on this trade in impure goods, the mail order houses have done the greatest injury to the consumer. While the local merchant has lost some trade, he has had at least a part of the business of the ranchman and miner in his vicinity, but the consumer, who has been caught by the "cheap" prices offered, has not got what he has been paying for by a long way, and there is no way for him to get even.

As it has proved with the groceries sent out by the eastern mail order h[illegible] it is with the other lines they work on in Montana. The saddles and harness offered at phenomenally low prices, the buggies and wagons, at prices which seem almost like giving the vehicles away, the kitchen utensils which are priced in the voluminous catalogues at figures that indicate the local merchants are highway robbers, the dry goods that are offered at such infinitesimal cost as to compel the ordinary woman to believe the mail order man is a public benefactor, all of these eastern mail order house offerings are on a par with the proved quality of the groceries they have been selling—fraudulent and put out to sell and not for service. The confession on the groceries should make the eastern mail order house patrons think before they send off another order for "cheap goods."—Helena Record.

Your local dealer stands ready to duplicate every offer so seductively set forth in the catalogues of mail order houses and more, says an exchange. He will trump the best trick the mail order house ever played if you will put down the spot cash and accept from him a class of goods devoid of respectable ancestry, and upon which no reputable manufacturer will place his name. He can sell cheap goods, too, if you will buy them from him with your eyes shut. He can meet the best price ever made by a mail order house if you will plank down the money and accept what he gives you without question and without recourse—but you must not expect him to be in his place of business every day in the year ready and willing to furnish expert help when you are in trouble, ready and willing to stand back of everything he sells with his own reputation and the warranty of a responsible company.

Honest, now, don't you really pat yourself on the back when you spend your money in such a way that in supplying your own wants you help build up the neighborhood in which you live? Of course you do, and you act on that idea yourself, but the trouble is that you don't talk it enough to your friends.—Streator (Ill.) Press.

Home Trade Hints.

A dollar spent at home stays around home and may return to you after a few days.

If you want to make your own town prosperous you will spend your money in your own town in preference to some bigger burg a long way off.

The way to start a wagon out of the mire is for all the horses to pull together. One way to pull together is for everybody to patronize home industries whenever possible.

Money in circulation around the town you live in is much better for your interests than the same money in circulation in a city hundreds of miles away. Your dollar is lonesome in a big city, but it has friends around home and is therefore more useful.

Send the lifeline of home trade to your local merchants. When you do so you are not only helping him, but you help your community and yourself. If you permit the competition of the mail-order houses to engulf him, his destruction means the destruction of your town and your interests. Keep your dollars at home.

THE VERDICT

In the Case of Mayor Schmitz Is Guilty.

FIRST CONVICTION

In the Campaign Against Municipal Grafters in San Francisco that Began Several Months Ago.

San Francisco, Cal.—Mayor Eugene E. Schmitz was Thursday night found guilty of extorting money from keepers of French restaurants in this city. This is the first formal conviction in the anti-graft campaign inaugurated several months ago Abe Ruef, who was indicted for similar offenses, pleaded guilty to the charges and appeared as a witness against Schmitz.

When the verdict was announced Schmitz sat unmoved with his hand to his chin. He apparently did not understand and asked Attorney Barrett: "What is it?"

"Guilty," said Barrett.

Schmitz's hand dropped to the table, but he showed no other signs of emotion.

The jury was out an hour and 35 minutes. They elected Charles E. Capp foreman and at once proceeded to an informal, verbal ballot. This stood 11 for conviction, Juror Burns, a shoemaker, casting the dissenting vote. Then the 12 men began a discussion which lasted nearly an hour. At the end of that time the first formal ballot was cast. It was written and was unanimous for conviction.

Judge Dunne announced that judgment would be pronounced June 27. Motions regarding the case will be entertained on that date.

The mayor was a prisoner last night, but will apply for bail pending an appeal when court convenes to-day.

Even before Judge Dunne reached the synagogue, hurried thither by an automobile when the jury was ready to report, nearly a thousand men had gathered in Bush street and were clamoring at the doors. As Judge Dunne entered by a rear way the crowd surged into the building from in front.

When Foreman Capp said "Guilty," the silence was broken in a hundred places at once. A long drawn "Ah!" went through the crowd. Then, "Good," cried a voice in a far corner.

Rudolph Spreckels, whose wealth made possible the whole bribe graft prosecution, was walking swiftly down the right aisle as the sentence fell from the foreman's lips. He sank into a nearby seat as though arrested by some sharp command.

All over the house people were jumping up now, and some of them turned to the strangers at their elbows and thrust out their hands in the enthusiasm of a long looked for moment, and said: "Shake."

Pullman Co. Denies Law's Validity.

Washington, D. C.—An answer questioning the constitutionality of a part of the railroad rate law was filed with the inter-state commerce commission by George S. Loftus, of St. Paul, involving sleeping car rates. The complaint alleged that the Pullman company exacted unreasonable charges and urged the commission to compel the company, under the recently enacted railroad rate law, to reduce by an order the fares charged by the company. The company's answer insists that the charges are just and denies the authority of the commission to issue the order demanded by Loftus.

Found One of the 11 Victims.

Norfolk, Va.—The body of Coxswain Robert H. Dodson, of the battleship Minnesota's launch which with its 11 occupants went to the bottom of Hampton Roads Tuesday night, was found floating in the roads Thursday and last night reports were circulated, but almost immediately denied, that the other bodies had been recovered. It now seems to be accepted in naval circles that the launch was run down by a coal barge shortly after the boat carrying the 11 men left Discovery Landing.

A Black Hand Outrage.

Washington, Pa. — What is believed to be a Black Hand outrage occurred early Thursday at the home of James Kefover, a farmer of Zollarsville, near here, when a glycerine bomb exploded, partially wrecking the building and tearing a large hole in the ground. Nobody was injured. Last week Kefover received a letter from an alleged Black Hand society demanding $1,000 to prevent the destruction of his property.

Longshoremen's Strike Failed.

New York.—The longshoremen's union at a meeting Thursday night declared off the general strike of the longshoremen in this city. The strikers will return to work at the wage rate received before the strike began.

A Fatal Collapse.

Canonsburg, Pa.—Two men were fatally injured and 400 miners were imprisoned in the Manifold mine, near here, for three hours Thursday by the collapsing of an engine house roof which broke the air compressor connections.

Floods in Western Pennsylvania.

Pittsburg, Pa.—Heavy rains during the last 36 hours have caused considerable monetary damage throughout western Pennsylvania. Small streams overflowed their banks, inundating the lowlands.

NEARS ITS DISSOLUTION

RUSSIA'S PARLIAMENT LIKELY TO BE ENDED FOR DISOBEYING PREMIER'S ORDER.

He Demands that 55 Members of the Duma be Suspended for Plotting to Overthrow Government.

St. Petersburg, Russia.—The dissolution of the lower house of the Russian parliament appears to be a question of only a few hours, or at most of a day or two.

With only 130 opposing votes the lower house last night rejected Premier Stolypin's ultimatum for the immediate suspension of 55 deputies for membership in the social democratic party and referred the subject to a committee. Although the committee has been instructed to report this evening, it is known in advance that the decision on the main question will be adverse, and that the duma will accept the recommendation.

In order to keep strictly within the legal limits, the committee may recommend the suspension of 16 leaders on condition that the government disclose the evidence against them, but there is not the slightest expectation on either side that this will save the situation.

Premier Stolypin demanded that the lower house of parliament exclude from the house all the members of the social democratic faction, numbering 55, and sanction the arrest of 16 of their leaders on the charge of entering into a conspiracy to overthrow the government and establish a democratic republic. The premier announced that unless the house immediately yielded parliament would be dissolved.

Simultaneously with the delivery of the government's ultimatum squads of police took possession of the lodgings of all social democrat deputies and seized their papers, evidently prepared to make arrests so soon as the decision of the house became known.

The session of the St. Petersburg committee of the social democrats was attended by a large number of the accused deputies. The committee is discussing a proposal to proclaim a general strike in the capital. This meeting is being held in secret, the police having occupied the headquarters of the party. Remembering the fiasco of the strike called after the dissolution of the last duma, the committee is hesitating to adopt this measure, although delegates from the workmen in all quarters of the city report that the conditions are ripe for a successful industrial strike and that there is a possibility of extending the movement to the railroads centering in St. Petersburg.

FOUND AT LAST.

Launch that Was Lost in Hampton Roads with 11 Men of the Navy on Board Is Located.

Norfolk, Va.—After many hours of weary dragging of the waters of Hampton Roads in a systematic search by the navy for the bodies of the 11 victims of the sinking of the battleship Minnesota's launch on Tuesday morning, a grappling party last night located the launch and bodies of the men in eight fathoms of water off the Ripraps.

The diver who went down to examine the launch reported that the heads and arms of three men were protruding from beneath the canvas covering, the men having made a desperate fight for life.

All day long the search had been kept up in the vicinity of the course likely to have been taken by the party on its return from Discovery Pier at the exposition grounds to the warship lying at anchor in the roads.

Washington, D. C.—Official notice of the finding of the battleship Minnesota's ill-fated launch, which went to the bottom of Hampton Roads with 11 occupants on Tuesday morning, was received by the navy department last night in a message from the commander of the Atlantic fleet. The dispatch says the launch was grappled by the dragging party and that the launch was expected to be raised last night. Several bodies were found, but "on account of the confined space" the number could not be counted.

REVIEW OF TRADE.

Conditions are Not Satisfactory Because of Bad Weather.

New York.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade Says:

Despite some improvement, weather conditions have continued adverse for retail trade at most points, and business is only stimulated by bargain sales. Prospects for fall distribution are brighter because of the better crop reports, and manufacturers receive liberal orders for next season. Current conditions, however, are not satisfactory, and mercantile collections are below normal, except in sections where country storekeepers have been enabled to make prompt settlements.

Record-breaking production of pig iron without causing accumulation is ample evidence of unprecedented activity in the steel industry. Implement makers buy bars regardless of reports that crops are smaller, and the congestion at pipe and sheet mills is not relieved.

A Labor Law Is Knocked Out.

Albany, N. Y.—The court of appeals in a decision rendered Friday declared the law recently passed by the legislature which prohibits the employment of women in factories before 6 a. m. and after 9 p. m. to be unconstitutional.

A Famous Agreement Is Abrogated.

New York.—The agreement between the Harriman interests and the Rock Island Co. entered into in 1904, for the alternate control of the Chicago & Alton railroad has been abrogated by mutual consent.

Balcom & Lloyd.

WE have the best stocked general store in the county and if you are looking for reliable goods at reasonable prices, we are ready to serve you with the best to be found. Our reputation for trustworthy goods and fair dealing is too well known to sell any but high grade goods.

Our stock of Queensware and Chinaware is selected with great care and we have some of the most handsome dishes ever shown in this section, both in imported and domestic makes. We invite you to visit us and look our goods over.

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LaBAR'S

We carry in stock the largest line of Carpets, Linoleums and Mattings of all kinds ever brought to this town. Also a big line of samples.

A very large line of Lace Curtains that cannot be matched anywhere for the price.

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Dining Chairs,
Rockers and
High Chairs.

A large and elegant line of Tufted and Drop-head Couches. Beauties and at bargain prices.

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FOR THE COMFORTABLE LODGING of fine books in a choice library select the Ideal pattern of Globe-Wernicke "Elastic" Bookcase. Furnished with bevel French plate or leaded glass doors.

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Sole Agent for Cameron County.

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A large line of Dressers from $8 up.

$40 Sideboard, quartered oak.......... $30
$32 Sideboard, quartered oak.......... $25
$22 Sideboard, quartered oak,.......... $16
Chiffoniers of all kinds and all prices.

The finest line of Sewing Machines on the market, the "DOMESTIC" and "ELDRIDGE." All drop-heads and warranted.

A fine line of Dishes, common grade and China, in sets and by the piece.

As I keep a full line of everything that goes to make up a good Furniture store, it is useless to enumerate them all.

Please call and see for yourself that I am telling you the truth, and if you don't buy, there is no harm done, as it is no trouble to show goods.

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

[From our Regular Correspondent.]

Washington, June 15th, 1907.

With the President out of town and the number of political visitors consequently and increasingl y diminishing, there is a dearth of political talk for the time being at least. The announcement received this week that Secretary Taft had been taken suddenly and seriously ill at St. Paul on his western trip, created uneasiness at the War Department. There is intense interest taken there very naturally in the Secretary as a presidential possibility and the news of his collapse in St. Paul was a great shock, especially as during the whole of his term both in Washington and the Philippines he has shown the most rugged constitution and was the last man in the Department who was expected to give way physically. The latest news is that accounts of his illness have been exagerated.

The Brownsville inquiry has been dragging along at the Capital and it cannot be said that there is much more light on the mysterious events of last August than there was when the inquiry first opened. There has been a cloud of witnesses on both sides and they have flatly contradicted each other, even the army officers being divided as to the guilt or innocence of the men, though there was more unanimity of opinion among the civilian witnesses that the soldiers of the 25th were guilty of shootiug up the town.

One of the most entertaining witnesses of the whole hearing was on this week. He was Gen. Andrew S. Burt, retired, who had been for ten years colonel of the 25th. He came principally to testify to the general good character of the soldiers as he had known them and to say that Mingo Sanders in particular was in his opinion entirely innocent both in knowledge and deed. Only those who are familiar with the negro in his confidential relations with his white officers in whom he really trusts can know just what sort of weight must be given to Mingo's private assurance to his old Colonel that he knew absolutely nothing about the whole affair.

Gen. Burt is Andrew S. on the army register, but he is known all over the country and especially in the west as "Andy" and the bulk of his acquaintances probably would hardly know him by his longer and more dignified name. He has always been a great advocate of athletics among the soldiers and organized the first regular army base ball team. He used to play on it too when occasion arose and one of the stories concerning him was when he was the Colonel of the 25th and helped to fill a gap on the enlisted men's team. He batted with the best of them and when he was coming home as fast as his short legs could carry him for the winning run of the game, an old negro sargeant coaching from the side lines jumped up and down and yelled in clarion tones, "Run, Andy, run, Come on you Blankety blank, blank bow-legged son of a gun, Run!"

And "Andy" did run and won out on a phenomenal slide for home. He got up and brushed the dirt off his ball clothes and they said quietly to the sergeant. "I can scarcely blame you Sergeant for your remarks in the excitement of the game. But kindly remember not to let them occur elsewhere."

That was all the notice he ever took of the incident and made no reference to it officially. And the enlisted men thought all the more of him for it. He never had the least trouble with the unruly 25th and it is only natural he should speak a good word for them.

There is no case of indigestion, no matter how irritable or obstinate that will not be speedily relieved by the use of Kodol. The main factor in curing the stomach of any disorder is rest, and the only way to get rest is to actually digest the food for the stomach itself. Kodol will do it. It is a scientific preparation of vegetable acids containig the very same juices found iu a healthy stomach. It conforms with the Pure Food and Drugs Law. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

300 Anniversary of the Episcopal Church

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scale to react very powerfully upon the rest of Europe. And even in England there was serious danger of the experiment of free government ending in failure under the despotic tendencfes of the Tudors and Stuarts. The close of the 15th century marked a critical time in the political destinies of Europe and of the world. If the principle of self-government was not soon to perish utterly from the earth, if the problem of how to realize a nationality at once strong and free, of how to maintain individual and local freedom and yet secure concerted action on a scale great enough to influence and convince the world, there were needed, and needed imperatively, these conditions:

(1) A vast and virgin territory, far enough removed from Europe to be well separate from it, yet near enough to be in communication with it and to be for a time dependent upon it.

(2) For planting colonies in this vast and virgin territory, men who had a strong instinct for freedom, with a training in the fundamental principles of self-government.

The discovery of the New World furnished the first requirement. Englishmen, with their political instincts and training, furnished the second.

From the very first the stars in their courses worked for the realization in the New World of a great, independent, self-governing nation, whose mission it should be to work out on a scale large enough to react upon the whole world, the supreme political and religious problem of humanity. For this result it was neccessary (1) that there should be a strong development of the spirit of freedom; and (2) a development of the sentiments and conditions which make for nationality.

The political problem and the religious problem really are but two aspects of one essential problem. The vital and moving forces in our history have been the forces of religion: a religious sense of the sacredness of the individual and of the nation as a divine institution.

When we consider the two types of English Christianity which were transplanted in America, and study the part which each has played in the development of our national life and institutions, we may in a brood way say that that the emphasis and influence of the non-liturgical type, of the Puritan and Presbyterian, told distinctively for freedom; while the characteristic influence of the Churchman made for the development of nationality. The Churchman did not come to the New World to find religious and civil freedom, but to better his worldly condition, though this is not saying that he was any more worldly than his Puritan brother. He would bring with him, and retain, his idea of the church as an objective institution. Not having any grievance against the mother country on the score of religion, he would retain a stronger sentimental attachment towards her, and so his influence would tend to prolong that initial period of dependence which for a time was so necessary for the protection and development of the colonies. In the early period of our colonial history the strongest and most permanent bond among colonies was their common dependence upon the mother country. The influence of the Episcopal Church during the colonial period made directly for solidarity rather than for independence. When the crisis which culminated in the Revolutionary War arose, it was the temper of the Puritan, rather than of the Churchman, that precipitated the revolt against England. But when the crisis came the great body of Episcopalians were ready to meet it. Patrick Henry, Francis Lee, Thomas Jefferson, Benjamin Franklin, Robert Morris and George Washington were all Churchmen, though two of them were not very sound ones. Three-fourths of the clergy, owing to the fact that they were natives of England and had taken an oath of allegiance to the British crown, espoused the royal cause, but among the laity there was no greater proportion of Tories than was to be found among Congregationalists or Presbyterians or Quakers.

After the Revolutionary War a new crisis confronted the Independent States, a crisis as great as that which resulted in the Declaration of Independence. The period between 1783 and 1789 has been termed the "critical period" in American history. The winning of independence was a great achievement; a still greater task was the construction of the Federal Government. It was in connection with this great work that the influence of the Church and of Churchmen made itself distinctively felt. The Churchman yields to none in emphasizing the sacred worth of the individual, but he believes as well in emphasizing the importance of the larger social organisms, the Church and the State. This habit of thought led him to look about at once to see if the scattered fragments and wrecks of his communion could not be brought into organic relation to one another, and the ideal of one Catholic and Apostolic Church realized as far as possible. The Churchman is not great as an agitator or revolutionist; his instinct and talent is for constructive work. While the question of national federation was still unsettled, the Churchman had the question of federation settled so far as the scattered fragments of his own communion were concerned. Four years before the adoption of the Federal Constitution, the Episcopal Church was organized on a federal basis. Within the ecclesiastical sphere, this has been the most successful attempt ever made to secure concerted action on a great scale, while preserving the freedom of the individual and the autonomy of the parish and diocese. In constructive work, the organizers of the Episcopal Church provided the fathers of the Federal Constitution with an object lesson. Certain it is that the organization of no other religious body in America corresponds so closely to that of the Federal Government as does that of the Episcopal Church. When we remember that many of the same minds that were engaged in the organization of the Episcopal Church were engaged also in the organization of the nationl government, we must see that this correspondence is no mere coincidence.

In the far-reaching providence of God it has been laid upon us as a people to work out the solution of the very highest political and spiritual problem of humanity. Our task is to demonstrate to the world that human freedom and brotherhood are not impracticable ideas. To sight as well as to faith our success is being made manifest. America is becoming more and more the pillar of the peoples' hope, the center of the world's desire. But without the forces of religion to vitalize it, and the ideals of religion to give it meaning, our holy experiment would long ere this have ended in failure. Among the organized forms of English Christianity, it is our privilege as Churchmen to see that our own communion has played no mean or inconspicuous part in the achievement of the nation's task.

Remorkable Rescue.

That truth is stranger than fiction has once more been demonstrated in the little town of Fenora, Tenn., the residence of C. V. Pepper. He writes: "I was in bed, entirely disabled with hemorrhages of the lungs and throat. Doctors failed to help me, and all hope had fled when I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery. Then instant relief came. The coughing soon ceased; the bleeding diminished rapidly, and in three weeks I was able to go to work." Guaranteed cure for coughs and colds. 50c and $1.00 at all drug stores. Trial bottle free.

Piles get quick and certain relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Please note it is made alone for Piles, and its action is positive and certain. Itching, painful, protruding or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Large nickel-capped glass jars 50 cents. Sold by all dealers.

For Sale.

Three residences singly or in double also all the vacant lots and store building on Fourth street. Terms to suit purchaser.

3-tf. R. SEGER.

Harry S. Lloyd sells Longman & Martinez L. & M. Paints in pints and quartz at half gallon price. 13-4t.

Get a free sample of Dr. Shoop's "Health Coffee." If real coffee disturbs your Stomach, Heart, or Kidneys, then try this clever Coffee imitation. Dr Shoop has very closely matched Old Java and Mocha Coffee in flavor and taste, yet he has not even a single grain of real Coffee in it. Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee Imitation is made from pure toasted grains or cereals, with Malt Nuts, etc. You will surely like Health Coffee. Sold by all dealera.

The Magic No. 3.

Number three is a wonderful mascot for Geo' H. Parris, of Cedar Grove, Me., according to a letter which reads: "After suffering much with liver and kidney trouble, and becoming greatly discouraged by the failure to find relief, I tried Electric Bitters, and as a result I am a well man to-day. The first bottle relieved and three bottles completed the cure." Guaranteed best on earth for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, by all druggists, 50c.

Latest Popular Music.

Miss May Gould, teacher of piano forte has received a full line of the latest and most popular sheet music. All the popular airs. Popular and classical music. Prices reasonable.

44-tf.

C. B. Howard & Co., have received from the Pacific Coast what is perhaps the finest lot of RED CEDAR shingles that ever came to Cameron county.

DEATH'S DOINGS

LEAK.

Ex-Sheriff Riley Warner on Tuesday received the sad intelligence of the death of his sister, Mrs. Leak, aged 75, at Schoharie county, N. Y. The lady will be very pleasantly remembered by many of our citizens, she having visited here years ago.

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ARMSTRONG.

In our last issue we briefly noted the death of Robert Armstrong, in his 60th year His funeral was held last Thursday at Beechwood and was largely attended; his old neighbors and friends (he had many friends) gathered to pay all respect to a kind and sympathetic neighbor. "Bobby" Armstrong came to this county about 27 years ago and followed farming and lumbering for a living. He was honest to the penny and honorable in all his dealings. We knew him intimately and always respected him for his very many good qualities of heart and mind. He died in the faith, trusting aright. He leaves a wife and one daughter, Miss Josephine.

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SPANGLER.

MRS. RACHAEL SPANGLER, *nee* SHAFFER, aged 80, passed away last Friday, after a long and eventful life, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Thomas, on Whittemore Hill, having been stopping with her daughter for a few days. Her death was peaceful and easy.

Mrs. Spangler settled on West Creek in the early 50's with her husband who died in 1863. She battled hard as all the early pioneers were compelled to do, and could relate interesting history of the early days in this section. Mrs. Spangler was born at Sterling Run in 1827. She leaves one brother, Fred Shaffer, of Sterling Run, and four daughters, viz: Mrs. Augusta Parks, Mrs. Mary Lyons, Mrs. Josephine Haggerty and Mrs. W. L. Thomas.

The funeral was held from West Creek school house, last Sabbath afternoon, Revs Allen and Cleaver, of Methodist Episcopal Cnurch officiating. Her remains were laid to rest in the West Creek cemetery, amid the scenes of a busy and eventful life. The esteem in which the family has always been held in this community was manifest at the large attendance at the funeral

Mrs. Spangler had never in all her life been out of Cameron county except three times—once at Williamsport and twice at Johnsonburg.

He Fired the Stick.

"I have fired the walking-stick. I've carried over 40 years, on account of a sore that resisted every kind of treatment, until I tried Bucklen's Arnica Salve; that has healed the sore and made me a happy man," writes John Garett, of North Mills, N. C. Guaranteed for Piles, Burns, etc, by all druggists, 25c.

A prompt, pleasant, good remedy for coughs and colds, is Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup It is especially recommended for babies and children, but good for every member of the family. It contains no opiates and does not constipate. Contains honey and tar and tastes nearly as good as maple syrup. Children like it. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

Sour Stomach

No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, general debility, sour risings, and catarrh of the stomach are all due to indigestion. Kodol relieves indigestion. This new discovery represents the natural juices of digestion as they exist in a healthy stomach, combined with the greatest known tonic and reconstructive properties. Kodol for dyspepsia does not only relieve indigestion and dyspepsia, but this famous remedy helps all stomach troubles by cleansing, purifying, sweetening and strengthening the mucous membranes lining the stomach.

Mr. S. S. Ball, of Ravenswood, W. Va., says:—"I was troubled with sour stomach for twenty years. Kodol cured me and we are now using it in milk for baby."

Kodol Digests What You Eat.

Bottles only. Relieves indigestion, sour stomach, belching of gas, etc.

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I'll stop your pain free. To show you first—before spend a penny—what my Pink Plain Tablets can do, I will mail you free a Trial Package of them —Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets. Neuralgia, Headache; Toothache, Period pains, etc., are due alone to blood congestion. Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets simply kill pain by coaxing away the unnatural blood pressure. That is all. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Sold by all dealers.

MADAME DEAN'S FRENCH FEMALE PILLS.

A SAFE, CERTAIN RELIEF for SUPPRESSED MENSTRUATION. NEVER KNOWN TO FAIL. Safe! Sure! Speedy! Satisfaction Guaranteed or Money Refunded. Sent prepaid for $1.00 per box. Will send them on trial, to be paid for when relieved. Samples Free. If your druggist does not have them send your orders to the

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Pennsylvania Railroad

LOW-RATE EXCURSION
$2.50 from Emporium to
Buffalo and Niagara Falls
Tuesday, June 25, 1907

Tickets good going only on train leaving 8:25 A. M. Good returning on all regular trains leaving Niagara Falls and Buffalo June 25 or 26. Baggage will not be checked on these tickets. Tickets will not be accepted for passage in Pullman, Parlor or Sleeping cars.

CHILDREN BETWEEN FIVE AND TWELVE YEARS OF AGE, HALF FARE.

J. R. WOOD, Passenger Traffic Manager. GEO. W. BOYD, General Passenger Agent
No. 543-18-1t.

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VACATION EXCURSION
$9.95 from Emporium.
TO
Atlantic City
Cape May
WILDWOOD, SEA ISLE CITY, or OCEAN CITY, New Jersey
Friday, July 5, 1907

Tickets good going on all regular trains on date of excursion to Philadelphia and connecting trains to seashore points.

STOP-OVER OF TEN DAYS AT PHILADELPHIA allowed on going trip if ticket is deposited with Station Ticket Agent, or on return trip, without deposit, within limit. Tickets good to return within fifteen days.

SIMILAR EXCURSIONS AUGUST 2, 16 AND 26

Full information of Ticket Agents.

J. R. WOOD,
Passenger Traffic Manager.

GEO. W. BOYD,
General Passenger Agent, Philadelphia.
No. 555-18-2t.

SUMMER VACATION TOUR
TO
SEATTLE AND THE PACIFIC COAST
ON ACCOUNT OF THE
INTERNATIONAL CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR CONVENTION
VIA
PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD
SPECIAL TRAIN LEAVES JULY 5
ROUND TRIP RATES

New York, $112.75; Philadelphia, $111.25; Baltimore, Washington, Harrisburg, $108.00; Williamsport, $108.75; Pittsburgh, $103,25.

PROPORTIONATE RATES FROM OTHER POINTS.

Tickets cover round-trip transportation, returning via direct routes from Seattle; Pullman berth and all meals in dining car while en route on Special Train to Seattle; Tickets cover railroad transportation only returning on regular trains to reach original starting point September 15, 1907.

A GREAT TRANSCONTINENTAL TRIP AT REMARKABLE LOW RATES.

Full information will be furnished by Ticket Agents or

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

Bulletin.

LOW-RATE NIAGARA FALLS EXCURSIONS.

"It soothes, while it awes the mind," is the phrase used by the great American author, Nathaniel Hawthorne, writing of Niagara Falls, and its many phases of beauty and grandeur.

To those who have never viewed this magnificent spectacle, it will prove an enthralling revelation of majesty, beauty, and power that must remain forever a delightful memory.

Those who have once visited Niagara Falls and wandered amid its historic environments or viewed its varied scenes of wonder, delight to return to gather new impressions of the falling waters; the dashing rapids, and the great gorge.

This year the Pennsylvania Railroad will run a series of attractive personally-conducted excursions to Niagara Falls on July 3 and 24, August 7 and 21, September 11 and 25, and October 9.

Tickets will be sold at very low rates for the round trip and will be valid for return passage within ten days.

A special train in charge of an experienced tourist agent, will be run on each date from Washington, via Harrisburg, Williamsport, and Emporium Junction, carrying parlor cars, dining car, and high-grade coaches.

Tickets will be good going on the special train and to return on any regular train within the time limit, permitting excursionists to stop off at Buffalo and view the beautiful metropolis of Lake Erie.

Full detailed information of this attractive series of summer outings may be had on application to Ticket Agents.

No. 551-18-2t.

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Emporium, Pa., May 22, 1907.

NEMOPHILA, per sack	$1 35
Felt's Fancy, "	1 55
Pet Grove, "	1 55
Graham, "	70
Rye "	65
Buckwheat, "	
Patent Meal, "	60
Coarse Meal, per 100,	1 35
Chop Feed, "	1 35
Middlings,	1 35
Middlings, Fancy "	1 45
Bran,	1 30
Chicken Wheat	1 70
Corn per bushel,	75
White Oats, per bushel,	58
Oyst r Shells, per 100	
Choice Clover Seed, Choice Timothy Seed, Choice Millet Seed,	At Markest Price

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LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postal card or letter, personally.

D. C. Hayes is building an addition to his residence.

E. L. Mason and Wm. McDonald went fishing yesterday.

Grover Hogan is visiting his sister, Mrs. B. H. Gitchell, at Binghamton, N. Y.

Miss Julia Hogan, "Bud," is visiting at Atlantic City, guest of her sister Celia.

E. H. Hilliard, of Emporium, spent a part of last Monday in town—Johnsonburg Breeze.

Mrs. Elizabeth Howard, Miss Encie Howard and Mrs. John T. Howard visited Buffalo this week.

Mrs. Henry Auchu and Miss Edna visited at Buffalo Tuesday and Wednesday, doing some shopping no doubt.

Seymour Hackett, of Phillipsburg, visited relatives in town over Sunday. He reads the PRESS.

W. H. Rankin, Dents Run, and J. H. Welton, Hicks Run, visited in Emporium yesterday and called on the PRESS force.

Miss Alice Burnell, of Buffalo, formerly a resident of Emporium, graduates from Lafayette High School next Wednesday.

Frank T. Beers, Supt. of Eastern Dynamite Company, is attending a meeting of the powder manufacturers at Philadelphia.

Miss Etta Spence, employed in a Buffalo business cellege is at home to attend her sister Vera's marriage which took place last evening.

C. L. Gilbert, of Fayette City, Pa., editor of the Journal, has been visiting his father and brothers, at New Warner over Sunday. He likes his new location and is doing well.

Misses Florence and Hazel Floyd and Mr. Robt. Mattison, Olean, N. Y., and Mr. Leslie Frettes, of Erie, visited in Emporium last week, guest of Miss Kaye, Sixth street.

William Nelson, of Emporium, who for the past few days had been visiting Robert Witham and family, on Main street, returned to his home Monday.—Lock Haven Democrat.

Miss Josephine Armstrong, who is engaged as a nurse at the Hahnemann Hospital, Philadelphia, is visiting at Beechwood, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Robt. Armstrong. Miss Josephine made the PRESS a social call yesterday.

J. T. Beattie, wife and son, of Dodge City, Kansas, are guests of their father, Peter R. Beattie and wife, on Sixth street. It is ten years since Mr. Beattie visited his father. He speaks in glowing terms of the prosperity in Kansas, especially the farming sections.

Mrs. A. D. Gould, of Eldred, stopped in Emporium on Wednesday, to visit her sisters, Mrs. H. H. Mullin and the Misses Gould, on her return from Jamestown, Va., and other points in the South. Accompanied by her husband she took in all points of interest, being members of the National Editorial party.

Hon. F. C. Leonard, of Coudersport, visited in Emporium Monday evening, while enroute for U. S. Court at Williamsport, as a witness. Mr. Leonard, who served one term in Congress and two terms as U. S. Marshall, is very popular in this section of the state, in fact wherever known.

Joseph J. Lingle, of Westboro, Wis., who accompanied by his wife and daughter, Miss Nellie, are visiting old friends in town, was a welcome PRESS visitor yesterday and squared with ye editor. Like all Emporiumites, they are evidently pleased to get back "home" again, not any more, however, than their friends are to greet them. They left last evening for Camden, N. J., on a visit to Mr. Lingle's father and sister. Mrs. Lingle and daughter will spend some time here before returning to Westboro.

Jos. L. Wheeler and wife expect to return to their South Carolina home this week.

Mrs. Dixon, of Sinnamahoning, was guest of Mrs. Jos. Burnett, Sixth street, on Monday.

Miss Jennie Robinson has returned home after visiting friends and relatives in St. Marys for over a month.

Floyd Pitt Felt has returned home from East Lansing, Mich., College. He is getting the family residence ready for J. P. Felt and wife, who are en route for Emporium, stopping a few days at Philadelphia.

E. J. Smith, more commonly called "Fuse" Smith, came up from Callery, Pa., last week and visisted for a few days, promising to stay a little while, but he slipped away when he had about eaten Harry S. Lloyd out of house and home. Come back, Smithy; Lloyd says he will, honest John, take you out and catch one of those big trout he almost landed, when his foot slipped.

Cabbage Plants.

Early and late, 20c per 100; $1.75 per 1000. For sale by

FRED K. ZIMMER,
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WANTED.—Girl to work in family of two. Light house keeping, pleasant home—no hard work. Address,
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Removal of The Emporium Water Company Office.

TO THE PATRONS OF THE EMPORIUM WATER COMPANY:—

The Office of The Emporium Water Company will be located in The Parsons Bazaar, on Chestnut street, second door from corner, on July 1st, 1907, where all payments will be made to the Collector.

Thanking you for your patronage in the past we remain.

Respectfully Yours,
THE EMPORIUM WATER COMPANY.
June 10th, 1907.—17-3t.

Lost.

A ladies gold broche, set in pearls; lost between West Creek state road and P. & E. passenger depot. Liberal reward paid to finder if left at Commercial Hotel.

For Sale.

Small quantity of Silver Hull seed buckwheat. H. DAY.

There will be an ice cream social held at the West Creek school house next Saturday, June 22nd. Everybody invited.

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WM. J. LEAVITT, Register.

Register's Office, }
Emporium, Pa., June 4th, 1907. } 16-4t.

COURT PROCLAMATION.—WHEREAS:—The Hon. HARRY A. HALL, President Judge and the Hons. JOHN McDONALD and GEO. J. LABAR, Associate Judges of Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court and Court of Common Pleas for the county of Cameron have issued their precept bearing date the 6th day of May, A. D., 1907, and to me directed for holding Court of Oyer and Terminer, General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court, and Court of Common Pleas in the Borough of Emporium, Pa., on Monday, the 1st day of July, 1907, at 10 o'clock, a. m. and to continue one week.

Notice is hereby given to the Coroners, Justices of the Peace and Constables within the county, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock, a. m., of said day, with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations, and other rememberances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done. And those who are bound by their recognizance to prosecute against them as will be just.

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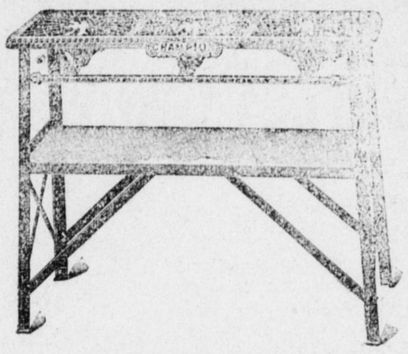

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The Mystery OF Carney-Croft

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CHAPTER XIII.

Quiet Is Restored.

"Now then," said MacArdel, the next morning, as we were comfortably seated in the library, "this mystery is clearing itself up more rapidly than I expected. Have you got those two notes with you? I mean the one you found on your bed the other morning and the one that slipped out of your pocket last night?"

I handed them to him and we spread them out on the table and examined them closely. The first was written in a cramped labored hand which was obviously disguised, while the more recent one had evidently been dashed off hurriedly and with to ateempt at masking the chriography of its author. In both instances, however, the English style of writing was so clearly exemplified and there were so many letters having points in common, that it did not require the skill of an expert to perceive that the two notes were the work of the same individual.

"You see," exclaimed MacArdel, "I was right, only I got the cart before the horse. I told you that after we had discovered how the first note was placed on your bed we would have little or no difficulty in tracing its authorship. As matters have turned out, however, we know the author but we don't know how she got the paper into your room. Nevertheless you ought to be satisfied for you remember you said that you cared very little how the letter reached you if you could only find out who wrote it."

"I am not so sure that we know who wrote it even now," I returned, gloomily. "The goings-on in this house are altogether too bewildering to suit my taste."

"Why, it must have been the woman!" cried MacArdel, with emphasis. Who else could have done it, man? You'll admit that both were written by the same hand, and I hardly think you'll deny that she was responsible for the one we found last night. If she wrote one she must have written the other, too."

"Perhaps she didn't write either" I muttered insistently.

"Oh, rubbish, Ware!" exclaimed MacArdel, impatiently. "What's the use of looking for more mystery when the whole thing is as good as explained! There she was, locked up in that little room across the hall. She couldn't get out, except through the window, and there was only one, which opened on the veranda right beside my chair. But she could look out and see all that was going on, and when we had our little tussle with Jenks, she took it all in from start to finish.

"Now, the widow's no fool, Ware, and as soon as she realized that she and Jenks were completely in our power she wrote this note at the desk in the corner of the room and kept it in her hand until the opportunity came to slip it into your pocket. She wrote hurriedly for she did not know when she would be interrupted and so she had no time to disguise her hand as she did before. She's English the writing's English and I'll warrant the paper in the desk is the same as this she used."

We crossed the hall to the little reception room, and, as MacArdel had suggested, we found the desk open and some stationery strewn about which exactly matched the paper I held in my hand. Moreover, on the floor near by was a lead pencil which, apparently, had been thrown down carelessly so that it rolled off the desk to the place where we discovered it.

The note was in pencil, and, undoubtedly, had been written with this pencil or with one of the same quality of lead.

There seemed to be no room for further argument as to the identity of the author of these remarkable communications, but, while the facts concerning the second were sufficiently plain, much mystery still surrounded the first.

"Hang it all, Mac!" I exclaimed, I'll have to admit that the widow wrote the notes in spite of myself, but how on earth did she know of my feelings toward Miss Carney? And, what's more, how did she get that letter on my bed?"

"Guessed at it, as far as your first question is concerned," replied MacArdel, cheerfully. "Just used her common sense as to the fitness of the match, and took the chance. That's all there is to it, Ware."

"Even so," I returned, "and I'm hardly willing to admit that your explanation is correct, how did the note get on the bed?"

"Easiest thing in the world," laughed MacArdel. "You were in and out of your room after you made up the bed for the night, weren't you?"

"Why, certainly!" I rejoined. "I fixed it up first and then came down and locked up the house. I must have been out of the room for 15 or 20 minutes after the bed was made."

"Well," he continued, "what more do you want? The woman, or one of her accomplices, evidently has a way of getting in and out of the houses, at pleasure, and while you were fussing around downstairs the note was tucked under a fold of the counterpane with the idea that you would find it when you turned in. As a matter of fact you didn't find it till morning, but you probably slept as well, for all that."

"How about the cigar case?" I asked with a grin.

"Oh, bother the cigar case!" exclaimed MacArdel. "That was only an incident in this whole plot to scare people away from here. It looks queer, I know, but so did the other things, for a time. We'll find out how it was worked, sooner or later, and, even if we don't, I can't see that it makes any great difference. We know the leaders in this business and we've got them pretty well subdued. All you have to do is to go ahead and open up the place. There won't be any more nonsense when they realize that you don't care a snap of your finger for them or their doings. Just get your servants here all at the same time. Have the house cleared and aired from top to bottom and keep lights burning in the halls all night. Fill the stable with horses as you told me you intended to do, and see that all the servants' cottages on the place are occupied.

"You won't have any trouble, Ware, if you will only take the precaution to have all these people come at the same time, and transform the place into one of bustling activity within a few hours. All you have to do to stamp out this ghost business is to overwhelm it entirely, and there won't be any more of it, I promise you, as soon as the place is running full blast."

MacArdel's idea seemed to be the most practical one that presented itself, and within a few days, the house was filled with workmen and their helpers, while the retinue of carefully chosen servants was imported from town, and gave to the establishment an air of permanent occupancy. As many men from the village as could be persuaded to work on the place at all were assigned to the roads and lawns, and every effort was made to beautify and render attractive the entire estate.

I had no hesitancy in authorizing the lavish expenditures which were necessitated by such wholesale rehabilitation of the property, for not only was I assured that anything I might do would meet with the full approval of Miss Carney, but, from my position as her trustee, I knew that the income of the estate would warrant the steps I was taking toward its improvement.

There were no further uncanny manifestations or mysterious happenings of any kind, and Jenks and the widow continued to follow their usual vocations as if nothing out of the ordinary had occurred, so that we were forced to believe that they were living up to the spirit as well as to the letter of their oath.

MacArdel who had remained with me as my guest and companion while this work was in progress, did not half like this submissive behavior on the part of Jenks and the Bruce woman and his suspicions were greatly increased when I ordered the widow out of her cottage to make room for the golf links that Miss Carney wanted laid out.

"Keep an eye on her, Ware," said MacArdel, when I told him how promptly and willingly she had acquiesced in my wishes, and with what seeming gratitude she had accepted the new quarters in which I had installed her." Watch her carefully, old man," he continued. "She'll be up to some deviltry yet, you may be sure. Neither she nor Jenks has breathed a word, even to you or me, about that business the other night, but they haven't forgotten it by any means, and we'll hear from them when we least expect to, unless we keep a sharp lookout. I almost wish they had cut up a row over it at the beginning, rather than have them go on like this. They are nursing their rancor all this while and some day they will try to get their revenge."

A telegram announcing the sailing of Miss Carney and Miss Weston spurred us on to greater efforts and, when at last we were ready to leave for town that I might meet the travelers at the pier, we were both satisfied that our labor had not been in vain.

Carney-Croft looked like its old-time self in its happiest days. The lawns had been cut and sodded, the roads and paths graded and repaired, the shrubs and hedges trimmed, and the flower beds filled with rare and well chosen plants.

Within the house had been cleaned and renovated from garret to cellar and the corps of servants from housekeeper down to kitchen maid, were reliable, capable, and of thoroughly attested respectability, while the stable, with its new horses and trustworthy men, was nowise behind in point of complete reorganization and equipment.

"You've done a great bit of work in the last few weeks," said MacArdel, as we were speeding toward town in the fast express.

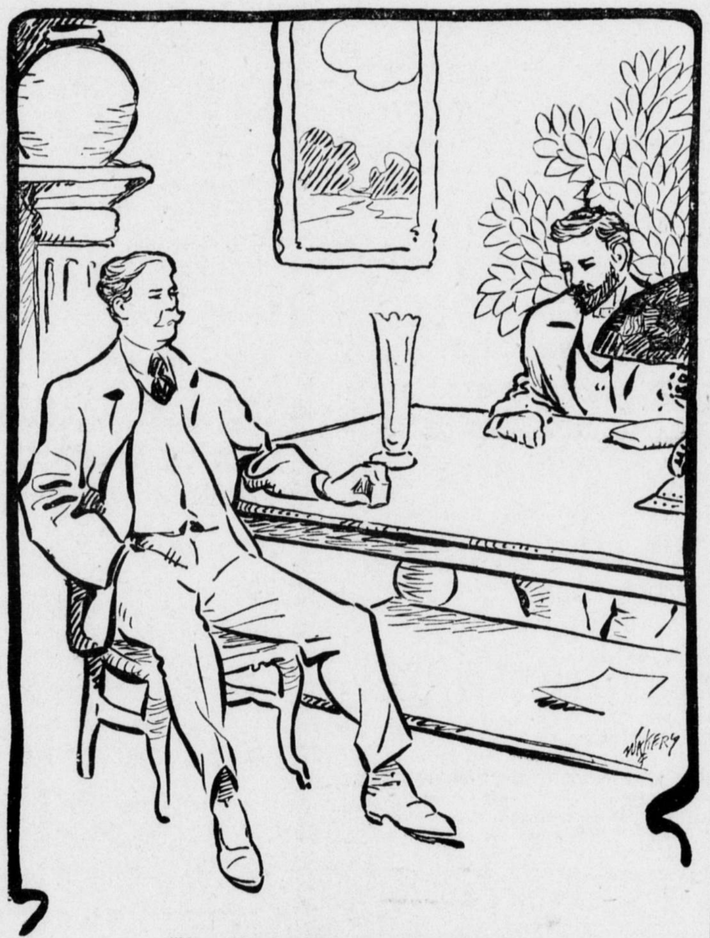
"Well," I replied, "my heart was in it, Mac. That accounts for it, I suppose."

The idiotic grin with which he received this remark caused me to blush like a schoolboy, and I turned away from him to the window and watched the ever changing panorama that glided past as we rushed on toward the city.

CHAPTER XIV.

Return of the Wanderers.

Miss Carney came down the gangplank followed closely by Miss Weston, and greeted me in a way that was plainly sincere.



"How Did the Note Get on the Bed?"

"Oh! I am so glad to be home again!" she exclaimed joyously, and her face lighted up with pleasure as she glanced about at the crowd of expectant people that choked up the pier.

"So is Annie, too!" she laughed, laying a hand on Miss Weston's arm and patting it playfully. "She was dreadfully ill all the way across and scarcely left her room until we reached Quarantine this morning. I don't know what seasickness is, myself, and I simply lived on deck. Why, how do you do, Mrs. Randolph! I am so glad to see you!"

Mrs. Randolph, who proved to be Miss Weston's aunt, kissed both young women affectionately and then I was introduced in due form.

"Mrs. Randolph is to be our chaperon," Miss Carney explained, "and is going to Carney-Croft with us as soon as the place is ready. I was wishing this morning that you knew her, for I was sure she would be here and you could have been company for each other while you were waiting for the ship to come up. We used to say, when we lived here, that there seemed to be a fate that kept you two people from meeting one another."

"You had a pleasant trip, I hope?" I asked, solicitously, after expressing my regret that I had missed the pleasure of Mrs. Randolph's acquaintance.

"Delightful, every minute of it!" she rejoined. "If it hadn't been for Annie's seasickness and—"

"And the parson's!" interrupted her friend, with a laugh.

"Yes, the parson's," continued Miss Carney, flushing faintly as a smile flitted across her face. "They were going to some kind of a convention and they were everywhere; in the forecastle, praying with the sailors; in the smoking room casting horrified glances at less sanctified passengers who ventured to drink or play; at the table before the places were fairly laid; and—"

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The Human Shield.

The advent of Decoration day caused Admiral Dewey, at a recent dinner, to praise the bravery of the American troops during the civil war.

"Both sides alike were brave," he said. "North and south, soldiers and sailors. And the bravery of the raw recruit was a thing to be seen to be believed.

"There used to be circulated, though, a good story about a Connecticut recruit. This young man, after he had gotten initiated, fought heroically; but in his first engagement he was very nervous.

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"Really, it is very strange, the American sense of humor. You catch onto my meaning?"—N. Y. Press.

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Canvassers, here is a great proposition: We have just patented a new household necessity never before heard of. Every housekeeper must and will have one as soon as she sees it. Sells for $2.00. Write for particulars, and secure territory at once. Address,
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HORTICULTURE

MARKING ROWS.

Unique Method Followed by an Ohio Gardener.

The old saying, "More crops grow in crooked than in straight rows," may find favor with some growers, but celery growers get best results from straight rows. Straight rows look more workmanlike and in cultivating, blanching, and harvesting straight celery rows are a necessity. To enable one man to mark out straight rows in the quickest possible way, we stretch two strong cotton lines, which costs us about 25 cents apiece, where the first two rows are to be, say three feet apart.

From a garden drill we remove all the seeding attachments and run the drill wheels over the first line from a to a. Before running back on second line (b to b) we put the stake of line one from a to c. When we arrive at b, stake of line one is moved from a to c, which puts the line in position for marking the third row. Before running the wheel on the third row from c to c, stake of line two at b is moved to d. When arriving at c, stake at b is moved to d, which puts line two in position for the fourth row, etc.

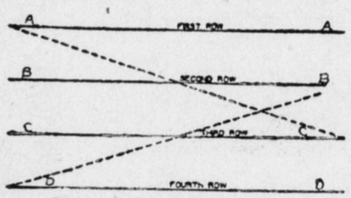


Diagram for Marking Rows.

For long rows, continues the writer in Orange Judd Farmer, we use one measuring stick at each end of the rows and one in the middle. The middle stick is pushed in the ground against the line to prevent the wind from displacing the line. When we plant day after day we do not take up the lines at night, but simply loosen one end to prevent their breaking from shrinkage. The time to wind up the lines would cost far more than they are worth. We can better afford to buy new lines, say every two years.

BLACK LOCUST.

It Supplies the Best-Lasting Post Timber to Be Found.

Black locust is one of the most persistent deciduous trees that we have to reproduce itself from the roots, and hence it is essential that one study this particular variety so as to know the right time to cut it if it is to be killed at the root. Grubbing out the trees and cutting them down at different seasons of the year has been tried. If you want the timber to last long in the ground locust should be cut in August or September, but if you desire to kill the trees they should be cut in July and then in September the stumps should be peeled. The next spring an occasional sprout will show from the roots. These will have to be treated the same as you would weeds to get rid of them. The black locust, says, Farmers' Tribune, is one of the best lasting post timbers we have and should be planted out on the prairie farms more than it is, for this one item of post timber. We do not think it will last equal to the osage orange, but it is equal to red cedar and can be produced on ground at a much lower price than we have to pay for posts at the lumber yard.

PRUNE NOW.

June Is an Excellent Month to Trim the Trees.

It may be all right to advise pruning whenever your knife is sharp, but really the best time is during May and June, for during these months trees make their quickest and most vigorous growth, and the wounds made by pruning will heal quicker now than at any other season of the year. The quicker the wound heals the better for the tree. Many old horticulturists say, prune when the leaves are as big as squirrels' ears. If pruning is done before this time the wound is apt to "bleed," and will not heal so readily. If large limbs are taken off paint the stubs so that they will not dry out and crack open. Here is where many make a blunder, says Indiana Farmer. They leave too much stub in the first place, and it is probably split down one side. Before the wound is healed over this stump is cracked and decay sets in. While you are at it do a good, clean job, and sharp knives and sharp saws will help you do it.

Do Good Work.

A word about spraying. Be particular about it. Do good work. Know what you are going after, and then use the stuff that kills. To do a good job of spraying one must know all about insects and fungus diseases, their habits and then know what remedies to use and when to do the work.

Eating More Fruit.

Speaking of the future possibilities of orchard products an old nurseryman says: "Where a dollars' worth of fruit was consumed ten years ago, ten dollars' worth is wanted now. Unless all signs fail, one hundred dollars' worth will be required in ten years from now."

DO YOU SPRAY?

It's the Only Protection Against Diseases and Insects.

Plant diseases and insects are doing so much damage to the orchards and gardens in Oklahoma that it has become necessary to protect the plants by some artificial means, says a communication from the Oklahoma station. The method of destroying the diseased and wormy fruit and foliage is of great value if persistently carried out. This cannot be done in so thorough a manner, however, as to destroy all the diseases and insects present, and a few left over and those that will come from neighboring farms will produce a dangerous number next year. The cheapest and most practical method of protecting plants from diseases and insects is spraying. The ideal method is to spray thoroughly and then destroy all diseased fruit, leaves and trash about the orchard and garden. Either method is good when used alone and the value of each is greatly increased when used together.

Spraying solutions are divided into two general classes. Those designed to prevent the attacks of fungus diseases are called fungicides, and those designed to destroy or prevent the attacks of insects are called insecticides.

Fungicides protect the plants by preventing the fungus diseases from gaining a foothold on the plants. The solutions are composed of materials that destroy the germinating spores where it comes in contact with them. The copper and sulphur compounds are the most effective materials used in these solutions. Most of the fungus diseases of plants that can be prevented by spraying reproduce by means of two kinds of spores. One kind of spore is produced in the spring and summer and germinates soon after maturity. If the spore finds lodgment on tender growing parts of the plant and a favorable amount of heat and moisture are present germination and growth immediately follow. If these spores do not soon germinate they lose their vitality. This process of germination, growth and fruiting goes on during the spring and summer. Late in the season another kind of spore is produced, which is capable of passing through the winter and germinating the following spring. The germinating spore sends the roots directly into the tissue of the plant unless it is a surface growing fungus, in which case the roots spread over the surface of the plant. If the plants are covered with a good fungicide when the spores germinate the spores will be killed.

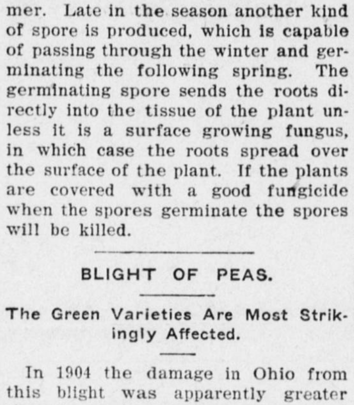
BLIGHT OF PEAS.

The Green Varieties Are Most Strikingly Affected.

In 1904 the damage in Ohio from this blight was apparently greater than in previous years. It was first noticed on French June peas which had been sown with oats as a forage crop on the experiment station farm. A close examination of the diseased plants showed that the stems had been attacked at many points, frequently as high as one and one-half feet from the ground, though most severely near the ground, where the disease starts.

On the leaves were orbicular or oval dead spots one-eighth to one-half inch in diameter.

Perhaps the most important thing in connection with the life history of the fungus is that the vegetative part, or mycelium, infecting these spots of the pods grows through the husk into the seed. Frequently it grows entirely through the pod, forming similar spots on both sides. When the fungus grows into the seed, brown spots may be formed on the surface. In the worst cases half the surface is frequently discolored and the seed adheres to the pod. These areas are much more striking on green colored peas, such as the Market Garden variety, than on the yellowish varieties, such as the Admiral.



Blight Fungus on Leaves.

Care of Spruce Plantation.

The trees require no cultivation after planting. Their great tolerance enables them to survive the shade of brush and weeds and eventually to overtop them. The greatest enemy of the spruce is fire, which should be carefully excluded from plantations. Spruce stands should never be severely thinned, as the shallow root system renders the trees liable to be thrown by the wind. This damage is especially great in exposed situations. In case such destructive agencies as insects or fungi appear, specimens, accompanied by an account of the character of the injury, should be sent to the department of agriculture for identification and recommendations for their control.—U. S. Forestry Bureau.

ELIZABETH JORDAN

Health Hints for Women

By Elizabeth Jordon

Present Pace Too Fast for Average Woman's Physique—Famous German Authority Advises Daily Ten Minute Bath—Two-Mile Walk Every Day Should Keep One in Condition—"Red" Meat Only Twice a Week—Little Nourishment in Bread and Potatoes—Drink Two Quarts of Water a Day.

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(Miss Elizabeth G. Jordan, editor of Harper's Bazar, formerly held a prominent position on the staff of a New York newspaper. She is the author of a number of popular books including "Tales of the Cloister' and "May Iverson, Her Book." She was born in Milwaukee.)

In reading from month to month the great mass of material on the subject of women which appears in the various periodicals the writer of this paper has been struck by one extraordinary fact. The topic of health—most important to women and of vital interest to them—is rarely touched upon. Women's achievements in every line of art and industry are admiringly set forth. Experts advise them along the lines of their professions and ambitions, but rarely does a great doctor lift his voice in the friendly warning so many of them need.

Every one knows that the ideal physical life is the life lived out of doors in the sunshine and fresh air. But women who work need a compromise between this ideal system and the dull routine into which they so readily fall. Every woman needs to know, not "What is the best hygienic system for me to follow?" but, "What is the best system to which I can adapt my daily life, with its exactions in the way of indoor confinement and sedentary occupations? How can I get myself and keep myself in such condition that nerves and body are more than equal to the strain I must put upon them?" For women should have more than the power to endure grimly. They should have the robust health, the cool and steady nerves that give zest to mere physical existence.

To begin, then, with the morning bath—the function with which every woman should begin her day as regularly as she leaves her bed. More nonsense has been written about the bath than about any other hygienic topic. Women have been advised to take ice-cold baths, cold sprays, hot plunges and cold packs. Again, some doctors have protested against the bath habit, urging women to confine themselves to one bath a week and thus avoid the drain on the vitality which a daily bath entails. In answer to all this hear the words of one of the greatest physicians in Germany when a distinguished American woman consulted him:

"Madam," said he, after the history of her nervous breakdown had been modestly related, "you do not bathe enough. Do not be indignant; the failing is a national one. The Americans talk a great deal about their baths, but they do not take them daily. Every human being who is up and about should get into a bathtub once a day and stay there ten minutes. Take your bath in the morning, immediately after rising. Have the temperature of the water 98 degrees exactly—neither more nor less. This is the normal temperature of the blood. See that the temperature of the room is the same. Never get into a cold bath on rising. Cold baths have killed thousands. Lie in your bath of 98 degrees; get down into the tub; immerse the body thoroughly; the warm water on the surface of the body has an excellent effect on the mucous membrane throughout. Then, little by little, lower the temperature and finish your bath with a cold rubbing down, if you wish. The blood called to the surface of the body by the warm water is then ready for the shock. It is not ready for that when you first awake."

"That advice," said the American woman to the writer, "cost me over $1,500, and it was worth it. Pass it on to others for what it will be to them. I was under that physician's charge six weeks. I went to him a wreck and came away cured. He gave me no medicine. His remedy was that daily bath, followed by a gentle massage. I now take both as regularly as I eat my breakfast and I attribute my perfect health to them."

The question of exercise is of the utmost importance. A walk of two miles a day in the fresh air should keep one in good condition, with the additional moving about that is done in the usual routine. If, for any reason, this walk is not practicable, the windows should be thrown wide open and one should practice faithfully for at least ten minutes night and morning the ordinary calisthenic exercises with which every one is more or less familiar. Special attention should be given to breathing exercises—drawing in ten or 20 long, deep breaths and exhaling them again slowly.

Every one realizes the value of this as an aid to health. We all know that to flush the lungs with pure air is as necessary as to bathe the body. Yet not one woman in 20,000 makes a daily practice of the exercise. One need not make elaborate preparations for it. It should be done immediately after arising, before putting on corsets, and in a room which has been freshly aired. But it can also be done at any time during the day and in any place where the air is pure and the seeker after health is free from curious and interested observation.

With baths, proper clothing, fresh air and exercise comes the problem of food—a most vital one and bearing more than any other on the general health of the individual. Here again eminent authorities fiercely disagree. But out of the smoke of battle one big truth is rising—the general acknowledgment by the best physicians that we all eat too much meat. In recent years one of England's greatest specialists has expressed the theory that the alarming increase of cancer in that country is due in large part to the increased consumption of meat. In cases of gout, rheumatism and kindred diseases arising from the presence of uric acid in the system, meat is stricken from the patient's dietary as a recognized factor in the cause. According to the new theories, no one should eat meat more than once a day. "Red" meat—roast beef, steak, chops, etcetera, should not be indulged in more than twice a week. All kinds of fish and game may be eaten, especially the white meat of chicken and turkey. The dark meat is rich and not especially wholesome.

The whole matter can perhaps be summed up in the words of a woman who is in great demand as a physical trainer for eastern society women.

"As to diet," she says, "no meat, no bread, no potatoes, no coffee, tea, alcohol or sweets.

"Two quarts of hot water every day.

"Five miles of walking; two miles at least.

"Eight hours of sleep for every one; more in certain cases where the individual must decide.

"A tub bath every day.

"Fresh air in the living and sleeping rooms."

And she should add, an optimistic spirit and a contented mind. But perhaps she made the omission wisely. For what more natural than a sound mind in a sound body? And what more easy than to be optimistic when mind and soul are well and the strings in one's harp of life are in tune with nature's orchestra?

Marital Happiness.

Love, sense and patience. Those are the three important elements necessary to happiness in marriage, says Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

63, BUT PERFECTLY WELL.

The Happy Experience of a New Castle, Pa., Woman.

Mrs. John Mansell, 614 So. Jefferson St., New Castle, Pa., says: "For years I was running down with kidney trouble without knowing what it was, and finally got so bad I was given up. The urinary passages were painful, sometimes scanty and again very profuse. My limbs, feet and ankles bloated dreadfully, and sometimes my whole body. My heart palpitated and I had smothering spells. A week's treatment with Doan's Kidney Pills helped me and a few boxes cured me. At 68 I am strong and well."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

CHOICE OF TWO EVILS.

Request That Was by No Means a Compliment for Papa.

A New York scientist, the father of a large and growing family, has his troubles. One evening his youngest was holding forth in her best style. The mother could do nothing with the child, so the man of science went to the rescue.

"I think I can quiet little Flora," he said. "There's no use humming to her in that silly way. What she wants is real music. The fact that I used to sing in the Glee club at Yale and sang well, too, may make a difference."

Accordingly, the professor took the child and, striding up and down the room, sang in his best manner. He had not finished the second verse of his song, when a ring was heard. The door was opened, and there stood a girl of 14, who said:

"I'm one of the family that's just moved into the flat next to yours. There's a sick person with us, and he says, if it's all the same to you, would you mind letting the baby cry instead of singing to it?"—Success.

ECZEMA COVERED BABY.

Worst Case Doctors Ever Saw—Suffered Untold Misery—Perfect Cure by Cuticura Remedies.

"My son, who is now twenty-two years of age, when four months old began to have eczema on his face, spreading quite rapidly until he was nearly covered. The eczema was something terrible, and the doctors said it was the worst case they ever saw. At times his whole body and face were covered, all but his feet. I used many kinds of patent medicines, to no avail. A friend teased me to try Cuticura. At last I decided to try Cuticura when my boy was three years and four months old, having had eczema all that time and suffering untold misery. I began to use all three of the Cuticura Remedies. He was better in two months; in six months he was well. Mrs. R. L. Risley, Piermont, N. H., Oct. 24, 1905."

Wonderful Engineering Work.

The admirable accuracy of the work of civil engineers of the best class is shown in the wonderfully slight deviation of the great Simplon tunnel from the calculations of the men who planned it and executed the work. The tunnel is 12½ miles long. It proved 31 inches longer than it was expected to be. When the two headings came together in the depths of the mountain their levels were less than 3½ inches apart.

Amendment Not Accepted.

Mrs. Jagaway—I wish I knew where my husband was.

Mrs. Kawley—You mean, I presume, that you wish you knew where your husband is?

Mrs. Jagaway—No, I don't. I know where he is. He's up in his room, sleeping off a headache.

FITS, St. Vitus Dance and all Nervous Diseases permanently cured by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. Send for Free $2.00 trial bottle and treatise. Dr. R. H. Kline, Ld., 931 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

A wise woman never quarrels with her husband till after pay day.

PAT SET ONLY ONE LIMIT.

Would Quit When He Was Done With All Things Earthly.

A rich man out in the suburbs who owns a large place has among the many people employed to keep it in shape an Irishman of whom he is particularly fond on account of his unconscious wit, says Harper's Weekly. This Irishman is something of a hard drinker, and, as his income is limited, he is more particular as regards the quantity than the quality of his liquids. The other day the employer, who had been awaiting a good opportunity, remarked in a kind tone, as the closing sentence of a friendly lecture:

"Now, Pat, how long do you think you can keep on drinking this cheap whiskey?"

To which Pat instantly replied:

"All my life, if it doesn't kill me."

It Cures While You Walk.

Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain cure for hot, sweating, callous, and swollen, aching feet. Sold by all Druggists. Price 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Trial package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Glass mirrors were known in A. D. 23, but the art of making them was lost and not recovered until 1300 in Venice.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle

Many a fellow sows his wild oats and reaps a grass widow.

AFRAID OF PARALYSIS

A NERVOUS SUFFERER CURED BY DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS.

The Medicine That Makes Rich, Red Blood and Performs Wonders as a Tonic for the Nerves.

Why are nervous people invariably pale people?

The answer to that question explains why a remedy that acts on the blood can cure nervous troubles.

It explains why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are also for nervous people.

It is because of the intimate relation between the red corpuscles in the blood and the health of the nerves. The nervous system receives its nourishment through the blood. Let the blood become thin, weak and colorless and the nerves are starved—the victim is started on the road that leads to nervous wreck. Nervous people are pale people—but the pallor comes first. Enrich the blood and the nerves are stimulated and toned up to do their part of the work of the body. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills make red blood and transform nervous, irritable, ailing people into strong, energetic, forceful men and women.

Mrs. Harriet E. Porter, of 20 Liberty avenue, South Medford, Mass., says:

"I had never been well from childhood and a few years ago I began to have dizzy spells. At such times I could not walk straight. I was afraid of paralysis and was on the verge of nervous prostration. Then neuralgia set in and affected the side of my face. The pains in my forehead were excruciating and my heart pained me so that my doctor feared neuralgia of the heart. I tried several different kinds of treatment but they did me no good.

"One day my son brought me some of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I found that they strengthened my nerves. I took several boxes and felt better in every way. There were no more dizzy attacks, the neuralgia left me and I have been a well woman ever since."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are invaluable in anæmia, rheumatism, after-effects of the grip and fevers and in sick headaches, nervousness, neuralgia, and even partial paralysis and locomotor ataxia.

Our booklet "Nervous Disorders, a Method of Home Treatment" will be sent free on request to anyone interested. Write for it today.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or will be sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

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CAPUDINE
CURES
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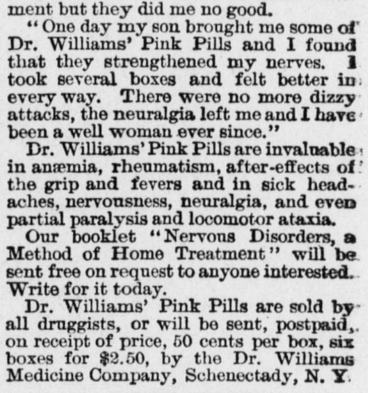
It removes the cause, soothes the nerves and relieves the aches and Feverishness. It cures all headaches and Neuralgia also. No bad effects. 10c, 25c and 50c bottles. (LIQUID.)



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Is acknowledged to be the most successful remedy in the country for those painful ailments peculiar to women.

For more than 30 years it has been curing Female Complaints, such as Inflammation, and Ulceration, Falling and Displacements, and consequent Spinal Weakness, Backache, and is peculiarly adapted to the Change of Life.

Records show that it has cured more cases of Female Ills than any other one remedy known.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound dissolves and expels Tumors at an early stage of development. Dragging Sensations causing pain, weight, and headache are relieved and permanently cured by its use.

It corrects Irregularities or Painful Functions, Weakness of the Stomach, Indigestion, Bloating, Nervous Prostration, Headache, General Debility; also, Dizziness, Faintness Extreme Lassitude, "Don't care and want to be left alone" feeling, Irritability, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Flatulency, Melancholia or the "Blues." These are sure indications of female weakness or some organic derangement.

For Kidney Complaints of either sex Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a most excellent remedy.

Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to write Mrs Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. for advice. She is the Mrs. Pinkham who has been advising sick women free of charge for more than twenty years, and before that she assisted her mother-in-law Lydia E. Pinkham in advising. Thus she is well qualified to guide sick women back to health. Her advice is free and always helpful.

How Refreshing

A good bath is after a hard day's work, especially if you take it in your own home where you have modern conveniences for it.

Now these conveniences can be had at a smaller expense than you may have imagined, unless you have consulted with us in regard to it. Most anyone with a modern income can afford one of our

Bath Room Outfits.

Of course, we have expensive outfits for people with more elaborate tastes and longer pocket books. We have to keep a big assortment to suit all classes of people, and WE DO IT.

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Latest County Correspondence.

FROM OUR REPORTERS.

SINNAMAHONING.

Henry Caldwell was off duty Tuesday and he is in the land of the living.

About 50 pounds of the remains of the five men killed was all that was found.

The cause of the explosion is not known. No one in the gelatine plant was left to tell the tale.

The powder plant has been making extra time lately, which may be the cause of the explosion.

Miss Eva Brooks and Miss Bertha Fulton are visiting at Philadelphia.

Mrs. Joe M. Shafer, of Shamokin, is visiting friends here this week.

Wm. Davis has resigned as night watchman at the powder works and taken a position with Barclay Bros.

Forest warden R. M. Crum is busy these times; putting up state forestry notices on the lines of the state lands.

Hon. H. H. Mullin of Emperium was in town Tuesday.

U. A. Palmer was taken suddenly ill Monday and taken to his home at Emporium Tuesday.

W. H. Van Wert was called home Tuesday owing to the illness of his wife.

County Commissioner O. L. Bailey was at the county seat Tuesday.

A good many people were in Sinnamahoning Tuesday after the explosion to learn the particulars.

Tuesday, June 18th, 1907, Sinnamahoning is in sorrow, owing to the explosion at the dynamite works. The bereaved families have the sympathy of the whole town and county. All will be done that can be to relieve their distress.

Messrs. Auchu, Howard, Logan, Van Wert and other members of the Powder Co., were on hand after the explosion and did all they could to relieve the distress of the sufferers.

W. C., 139, P. O. S. of A., held a special meeting to arrange for services over the remains of Edward Cole, who was a member of the order.

The gelatine plant of the Sinnamahoning Powder Co., blew up at 8:25 a. m., Tuesday, killing J. B. Nelson, Filmore Summerson, Edward Cole, Harry Cole, son of Albert Cole, and Samuel Shadman, son of Harry Shadman, all of this place. The explosion occurred without a moment's warning and none employed in that building are left to tell how it happened. Mr. Nelson leaves a wife, Mr. Summerson a wife and three children, Mr. Cole a wife and three small children.

The remains have all been carefully gathered and put in separate caskets and funeral services will be held on Thursday morning.

A head-on collision between passenger train going north and a freight go south Friday evening, at First Fork killed two men and injured many more on the B. S. & S. R. R. When will the railroad companies quit trying to pass two trains on the same track.

V. A. Brooks while surveying near Twelve Mile Run, Mosquito Creek, last week, found the bones of some person in a dark and rocky ravine near the head of the Run. The bones were those of a man.

DEBSE.

HUNTLEY.

Mrs. Levi Smith is on the sick list.

Grace Jordan has returned from a visit with relatives in Wyside.

Blanche Logue is visiting friends in Emporium.

W. A. Nelson, who has been connected with the Electric Light Co., in Renovo, for the past six months, has returned home and will remain for the season.

F. B. Hoag and son, and Hulburt Smith, passed through town Monday enroute for First Fork on a week's fishing trip. There is no fear but that they will return with full baskets as all are old timers at fishing.

The onions are still growing in John's and Levi's fields and no one knows who will be the winner yet but merchant Logue says he has no kick coming as he sells the phosphate to fertilize the aforesaid vegetables. Captain English stops every day and examines each plant with his telescope. Mr. Jordan says they will top on the wrong end this year on account of the earthquake in San Francisco.

Mrs. W. W. Johnson continues about the same, no improvement in her condition.

Yardman John O'Neal and family called on J. F. Sullivan and wife Sunday.

Mrs. John Witchey and son, of Renove, are spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Johnson.

Mrs. Eliza Johnson, of Sinnamahoning, who has been nursing Mrs. W. W. Johnson, returned to her home the latter part of last week.

Elmer Hill, of Grove Hill, came down from the Hill Monday and called on Mr. D. W. Eastman, of Tunnel Hill, and attended the family re-union on Mason Hill Tuesday. Elmer says crops are good on the Hill.

G. W. Starr the champion tie maker of Pennsylvania, attended the bread and milk social at J. F. Sullivan's Sunday.

J. E. Johnson is repairing his house in Driftwood and making it modern in every way. It will be one of the finest on Fourth street when finished.

Mrs. Henry Layton visited friends in Austin the lattter part of the week.

The Driftwood callers this week were: John Jordan, Walter Logue, Lloyd Logue, Wayne Nelson, Mrs. C. J. Miller, Mrs. Frances Logue and Miss Ruth Sullivan.

Darius Ives who is farming on the W. R. Smith property this year says he will start plowing as soon as the frost gets out of the ground. He has all the snow shoveled off the buckwheat ground and will start as soon as the weather permits.

Merchant Logue has added a full line of feed to his splendid stock of goods and is selling at rock bottom prices. "Live and let live" is his motto and everybody gets a square deal at his store. "Give him a call."

Miss Emmaline Summerson, of Wylie Hollow, called on friends at the east end Tuesday.

J. E. Johnson had business with Supt. Coughlin in Renovo one day last week.

Mrs. Frances Logue and her two youngest sons, will leave this week for an extended visit with relatives in Wisconsin.

J. F. S.

CAMERON.

Mrs. H. H. Rockwell of Renovo, is visiting her mother this week.

Mrs. Amanda Graw and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Wm Graw of Renovo, called on G. L. Page and wife Monday.

Wm. McVain and wife returned from Williamsport hospital, where Mr. McVain successfully underwent an operation on Monday.

Mrs. Margaret Sullivan is visiting with her brother Joe a few days. She will leave for Dunlevie, W. Va., soon to visit her mother.

Margaret Hanes of St. Marys is visiting her sister Mrs. Page this week.

Telegraph operator Bottsford of B. & A. V., force at Emporium attended the dance here Monday evening.

Richard Lawson visited with his sister Mrs. Robinson over Monday.

John Schwab and wife were Sterling Run callers on Sunday.

The National Protective Legion will hold an ice cream social at their hall next Saturday evening. Everybody invited.

Geo. Stuart and wife of Delray, Mich., are visiting with Alex. Schwab and wife, this week.

A number of Potter county detectives were in town last Sunday morning looking for a horse thief, but were unable to find their man.

J. F S.

RICH VALLEY.

Amos Norrigon, the Slabtown carpenter is employed at Howardville this week.

The editor of the Independent takes it to heart about the Republican nominee for county treasurer. Never mind little fellow you will wish he had gone lame in both legs, as you say in your issue of May 16th, when the farmer comes under the wire ahead next November. All he needs to do now is to figure up his majority.

Mrs. G. M. Burdick, who has been spending the summer at Maple Shade, left for her home at Montague, Mich., last week.

Ex-R. F. D. carrier, B. L. Spence was on our streets Monday.

W. J. Carter and W. W. Lewis were severely injured while taking up iron on the E. & R. V. R. R., last week.

Mrs. W. J. Carter of Lockwood station called on Cooks Run friends Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Brown of Riverside Park was the guest of her mother Mrs. J. J. Lewis of Cooks Run Sunday.

Archie Carter of the city spent Sunday with ye scribe. He also had other engagements but there was a person on guard.

H. J. Lewis of Emporium called on Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wright of Clear Creek this week, Mrs. Wright being Mr. Lewis' sister.

The Ladies Missionary Society are going to have some doings at the church Sunday evening. What said doings are we are not informed.

S. C. Lewis has been on the sick list this week.

Belle Barr of Slabtown is working for Mrs. Sam Parks of West Creek.

M. A. P.

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STERLING RUN.

Agnes Miller of Brookville is visiting at Mrs. Ed Whiting's.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lou Jones, an eight pound girl, June 16.

Dr. DeLong took W. E. Devling to Williamsport hospital on Wednesday.

Mrs. A. L. Miller of Williamsport, is the guest of Mrs. Geo Strawbridge.

Mrs. A. W. Mason was an Emporium visitor Saturday.

Geo. Hulsinger and wife returned to Renovo Monday.

Mabel Wylie, who has been teaching at Altoona, returned home Monday.

Children's Day was observed last Sunday in the M. E. church and a large audience greeted the little tots as they displayed their ability as orators, readers and singers.

Nellie Mansfield of Westport, is the guest of Cora Yocum.

Alice Strawbridge has been suffering several weeks with a felon.

Mrs. Margaret Mason returned to Renovo Monday.

Mrs. Martha Smith and Mrs. L. C. Summerson attended the funeral of Mrs. Rachael Spangler at Whittemore Hill Sunday.

There will be a surprise family reunion at Mrs. N. E. Jordan's Friday.

There was a family reunion at James Russell's on Tuesday.

Mrs. Edna Schwab and little Helen Robinson of Cameron were visitors in town Sunday.

D. W. Eastman, who has been on the sick list the past week, is able to be out again.

Mabel Stephens of Emporium has been home, sick, for a few days.

J. E. Smith went to Erie Wednesday for treatment. At times his throat is very painful.

Mrs. Harrison and children, of Dents Run, were guests of Lulu Lewis, Wednesday.

The Lady Maccabee's had a quilting for Mrs. Frances Howlett at the home of Mrs. Ella Whiting Friday.

Malvin Whiting, of Ridgway, was in town Wednesday guest of J. E. Smith.

BLUE BELL.

SIZERVILLE.

The warm wave has struck us at last.

M. Hackett of Renovo is enjoying the benefits of the water and baths for rheumatism.

R. Prosser and family are spending their vacatian at the Jamestown exposition. We await the report of his visit.

Mr. Easterly and family of Bradford have located here. Mr. Easterly has accepted a position with foreman Burtnn on the railroad.

S. G. Havens received the sad intelligence on Saturday of the death of his only son William, at Galeton. Was found by the road side cold in death. Mr. Havens has the sympathy of all his neighbors.

Farmers are feeling much encouraged over the outlook for good crops. The few warm days have greatly hastened their slow growth. Corn and potatoes have a thrifty look.

We noticed R. C. Dodson and some other successful anglers on our streams yesterday. They seem to carry the right kind of fish lure for a good catch.

The P. R. R. pay car caused much sunshine on the countenances of the employees Tuesday.

D. K. Kephart lost a valuable horse last week. It was taken suddenly ill and soon died.

The Austin band wagon was on hand yesterday, posting bills for their show on the Fourth. The lumber city seems determined to have a crowd if printers ink cuts much figure. We expect to see much red fire in the sky in the direction of East Cowley.

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